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GARRETT HAS NO OPPONENT

PRESENT MAYOR ONLY ONE TO FILE FOR PRIMARY.

SIX FOR COMMISSION

Two Present Councilmen Have Four Rivals for Place.—Four High at Primary Go On Ballot.

Mayor W. O. Garrett, who filed as a candidate for re-election as mayor, will have no opposition for that office. The time for filing expired Saturday.

Maryville voters, however, will have to pick out two commissioners from a list of six candidates at the city primary to be held a week from Tuesday, March 22.

Two more candidates filed their declarations for the nominations as commissioners late Saturday afternoon, including one of the present council members, Augustus Romasser, 547 West Third street. Mr. Romasser, who is also a deputy sheriff, has been a commissioner for the last four years and was mayor under the alderman form of government from 1904 to 1906.

The other candidate, who filed a few minutes before the city hall closed Saturday night and who increased the number of candidates to six, was T. C. Coil, 816 South Mulberry. Mr. Coil was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for representative in the legislature in the primary, 1924.

The other candidates for councilman are:

A. N. ("Doll") Reece, 116 North Depot street; Wilbert Reese, 604 North Walnut street; Ernest C. Moore, 1421 East First street; D. E. Hotchkin, present member, 722 South Buchanan street.

Garrett's Fifth Term.

With Mayor Garrett having no opposition for re-election, it will make his fifth term as the head of the city government, a longer time than any other man has served as city executive here. He is also the only one to occupy this office whose father served in that capacity before him. His father, W. T. Garrett, was mayor from 1902 to 1904.

Mayor Garrett was first elected in the spring of 1918, serving one year under the mayor-alderman form of government. When the commission form of government was adopted here in 1919, Mr. Garrett was elected to head that form of government and has since occupied the office with the exception of two years, 1921 to 1923. He was elected again in the spring of 1923 and also in 1925.

During these years, Mayor Garrett has been city manager and has run the city along lines to be found in any big business concern. Maryville has made rapid strides in improvements during his administration and the water plant especially is declared to be one of the best to be found in a city of thesize of Maryville.

The city primary, to be held on March 22, will contain the names of all the candidates. For councilman, the voter will select two candidates. The highest four candidates at the primary will be the nominees and will be voted on again at the city election April 5, at which time the two highest will be declared elected.

Polling Places Fixed.

The several polling places for the primary, March 22 and the election, April 5, were fixed as follows:

First Ward: At the fire station, 413 North Market street.

Second ward: At the Armory, 408 North Buchanan street.

Third ward: Office of Arnold-Strong Motor Company, 118 West Second street.

Fourth ward: Plumbing Shop of James Smith, 204 East Third street.

The following persons were qualified and appointed as judges for the primary and the election:

First ward: Virgil Rathbun, Lawrence Schumacher, Mrs. Faye Heifner and Miss Verna Kennedy.

Second ward: Charles J. Eckert, Miss Bertha Anderson, Walter Mutz and Mrs. Alfreda Tulloch.

Third ward: Sherman Montgomery, Mrs. Mamie Clardy, J. F. Cook and Miss Emma Hull.

Fourth ward: Frank Wallace, R. E. Thomas, Miss Hilda Lahr and Mrs. Hattie Wadley.

Sunday School Board Meeting.

A meeting of the Sunday School board of the First Methodist Church will be held at the church at 7:30 o'clock tonight. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. John Myers, 59, Die at Clearmont

Funeral Services Will Be Held At 2 o'Clock Tomorrow Afternoon.

Mrs. John Myers, 59 years old, died at 12 o'clock Saturday night at her home in Clearmont following an illness of paralysis. Mrs. Myers had been bedfast since last October.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Baptist Church in Clearmont, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. W. W. Laughlin. Burial will be in the Clearmont cemetery.

Mrs. Myers was born in Monmouth, Ill. She came to Missouri when eleven years old, her family locating near Pickering. She later moved to the Clearmont vicinity. She was a member of the Clearmont Christian Church.

Surviving Mrs. Myers are her husband and three children, Charles Myers, Clearmont; Mrs. Della Hiatt, Alva, Okla., and Floyd Myers, Buffalo, Mo.

STOLEN AUTO IN MUD HOLE

OFFICERS ARREST HARRY HAMILTON, 16, NEAR HARMONY.

2 COMPANIONS ESCAPE

Trio Are Charged Also With Theft Of Silverware At Atchison, Kan. —Shots Fired.

Harry Hamilton, 16 years old, giving his home as Princeton, Mo., is being held at the county jail here on a charge of stealing a motor car at Topeka, Kan., and also taking silverware at Atchison, Kan. He was caught as a result of the car being mired in a mud hole near the Hubert Null farm, in the Harmony community, Saturday evening. Two companions of Hamilton escaped and at a late hour this afternoon had not been found.

When Hamilton, with the two other men, became stuck in the mud hole, Fay Woodson Null, son of Hubert Null, helped to get the car out of the hole and received a check from the men for $1, drawn on the Nodaway Valley Bank of Maryville and signed by "C. F. Johnson." Null got into communication with the bank and found the check was bogus. He then notified Lucien Slagle, deputy sheriff, at Ravenwood.

In the meantime, the party had driven the car to Ravenwood, and then came back, getting stuck a second time at the same mud hole. Unable to get through the hole, the boys abandoned the car there. Hamilton was caught north of the Null place by Wilbur Cox, deputy sheriff in the Harmony community, Null and Art Craven. Slagle chased another of the party but he was able to get away, running south. The third was also able to get away and was headed toward Pickering and Hopkins.

Later investigation revealed the three men were in Maryville Saturday about noon and engaged a room over the Sellar restaurant on the south side of the square. Sellar, who had been a deputy sheriff at Craig, knew some of the members of the party. They left town shortly afterward.

The owner of the car was found to be George L. Fountain of Topeka, Kan. Fountain, accompanied by E. O. Schoonover of Topeka, came to Maryville today and returned this afternoon with the car. In the car was found silverware and also shirts. The silverware belonged to C. H. Falk of Atchison, Kan., who also came to Maryville today with Willard Linville, chief of police at Atchison, and also O. J. Pangburn, a member of the police force of that city.

The car was stolen last Monday and the silverware was taken from Falk's home in Atchison last Tuesday evening while the family was away. Some of the silverware had not been found, the only articles discovered being forks, while spoons and some articles of jewelry were missing. A check for $5 drawn on the Nodaway Valley Bank and signed by Johnson, was found under the carpet of the car.

Slagle, in chasing one of the men, used his revolver and fired once but the fugitive escaped while the deputy sheriff was climbing over the fence.

The members of the party declared to Null they were students in Maryville. Officers think they are wanted for several crimes.

Chief of Police Linville formerly was a resident of Bethany. He returned to Atchison with Hamilton this afternoon.

WATER PLANT IS FAR AHEAD

COULD SUPPLY CITY OF 25,000, IT IS DECLARED.

NEW PUMP INSTALLED

Potential Pumping Capacity Now Is 950 Gallons A Minute.—Steam Equipment Also Available.

A water plant with a capacity of supplying a city of 25,000, so arranged to take care of an emergency and able to operate under any conditions—

This is the Maryville water plant, with the addition of another filter which can be installed at any time.

It might be called a quadruple protection plant, with the addition of the last pump and electric motor, which were undergoing tests today for final acceptance on March 27. Two steam engines and two steam boilers, one of which is under steam at all times, and two large electric pumps are in readiness at all times to pump water to the city.

These features were explained by Mayor W. O. Garrett, whose special pride is bringing the water plant as nearly as possible to perfection and the superintendent of the water plant, J. W. Qualls.

The city has planned for this years' improvement of the water main from the pumping station to city, and already has on hand a carload of pipe strung out on its property east of the city, ready to be laid. Laying of a twelve-inch water main up to the Wabash railroad tracks now awaits securing of right-of-way of property owners on the south side of the road connecting with East First street, and the permission of the Highway department to lay a main under the road at one point. Other particulars for the work have not been fully decided, Mayor Garrett said this morning.

The engine and motor undergoing a test today is a cylinder pump, with a capacity of 500 gallons a minute, that can be increased to 600 gallons by changing the cogs. It is driven by a 75-horse power motor, with a chain drive. Under test this morning a pencil stood upright on the discharging pipe, to demonstrate the slight vibration of the machinery.

Water from the filters now goes to the new clear water well, with a capacity of 100,000 gallons, that was recently completed. From here it goes through a suction pipe and is driven into the mains and into the water tower, Ninth and Mulberry streets.

The other pump that has been used for this purpose will be moved from the present location in the pit of the east pumping station to the west pump house, where the new pump already has been placed on a concrete base. With the two in operation at the same time, there will be a potential 950-gallon-a-minute pumping capacity, which far exceeds the needs of the city at the present time. Both these pumps and the two steam pumps can and will be alternated in use to permit any necessary repairs and as auxiliaries in case of emergency or breakdowns.

The other clear water well, now in use, will be continued in use alternately with the new well. It has a 30,000-gallon capacity.

The new pump and motor weigh eleven and a half tons. The performance made this morning under tests showed it forced the water into the mains under 180 pounds pressure and indicated that it would be accepted by the city administration.

Fire protection has been increased at the pumping station with the installation of regular theater equipment. A fire hose will be attached to a hydrant, and the hose laid up on a rack so that it can be taken to any part of the pumping station building. This water is under a normal pressure of 120 pounds.

J. E. James Files Trustee Candidacy

Stating he believes his experience on road work has especially well qualified him, J. E. ("Jake") James of Maryville has announced his candidacy for the office of trustee for Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention.

Mr. James was for four years superintendent of state high way maintenance in this county and prior to that had been superintendent of road work in and around Skidmore.

C. & A. Trainmen Say Not Guilty in Wreck

Two are Charged with Death of Baggagemen When "Hummer" Crashes Into Freight.

Mexico, March 14.—Fred A. Markwell, conductor and Sam T. Taylor, engineer, both employed by the Chicago and Alton Railroad, pleaded not guilty to charges of manslaughter in connection with the death of Ben W. Carmean, baggageman, when arraigned before Judge Emil Rochrig in circuit court here today.

Carmean was killed in January when a freight train crashed head-on with the Hummer, crack passenger train of the Chicago and Alton.

Markwell and Taylor were on the freight train crew when the fatal accident occurred. Their trial was set for April 14.

FOUR SHOT IN PRISON RIOT

SEARCH FOR WEAPONS CAUSE OF ALABAMA DIFFICULTY.

TROUBLE AT JOLIET

Two Illinois Prisoners Are Recaptured Few Minutes After Break For Liberty.

Montgomery, Ala., March 14.—Rioting because of orders issued by Warden T. J. Shirley that they be searched for weapons after they had received visitors on Sunday afternoons, 500 prisoners in the Alabama state penitentiary were subdued late yesterday after four men were shot and ten others injured.

Using the recent escape of the condemned murderers at Joliet, Ill., prison as a basis for his action, Warden Shirley ordered that each prisoner who had received visitors be searched before being taken to his cell. A knife was taken from one of the men.

General rioting followed the order and tear gas and shotguns played a prominent part. Unable to subdue the mutiny through the use of the gas, the warden ordered his men to fire upon the mob. Four men, alleged leaders of the mutiny, were wounded in the first fusilade and the mutiny was broken up.

Joliet, Ill., March 14.—Two convicts who broke for liberty at Joliet penitentiary early today were recaptured a few minutes later. Guards on the wall opened fire, cowing the convicts.

The escape occurred at the penitentiary stone quarry. Prison officials reported earlier that least three men had escaped from the quarry workings but a check-up later showed only two had actually passed the wire barricade.

License of Madison Garden Suspended

New York, aMrch 14.—The license of the Madison Square Garden Corporation today was suspended for one week, beginning March 21, by the state athletic commission after it had examined contracts for the recent fight between Paul Berlenbach and Mike McTigue.

The commission held that Tex Rickard, majority stockholder of the Garden, had presented a misleading contract and had violated the rules in paying McTigue and Berlenbach 52½ per cent of the gate receipts.

School Head From Bolckow at Hospital

L. E. Elam, superintendent of school at Bolckow, underwent an operation at the St. Francis Hospital last night. He is suffering from pneumonia and an abscess had formed on one lung. He is doing very nicely.

God and You

A LENTEN MEDITATION
By The Rev. Charles Stelzle

God comforts men.

Comfort is one of the world's greatest needs, but it is one of the world's rarest gifts.

When sorrow enters your life the world withdraws.

It resigns. It puts crape on the door.

It adds gloom to your heart.

It doesn't know what to say. It leaves you alone.

At such an hour God knocks at the door.

He comes into your life.

He comforts your soul.

He wipes away all tears.

CORN, CATTLE FOR NODAWAY

SPECIALISTS ADVISE THESE AT "OUTLOOK MEETING."

A FARMERS' SCHOOL

Over Thirty Men Hear and Discuss Agricultural Situation for Coming Season.

TOP ON HOGS PREDICTED AT $12.61 NEXT AUGUST.

Averaging the forecasts of thirty-two Nodaway and Worth county farmers, the top on hogs on the St. Joseph market will be reached during August, when they forecast the price at $12.61.

The low will be reached in December, when they predicted the top will be $9.38.

The highest high predicted was $15 and the highest low was $10. The lowest high was forecast at $11.50 and the lweost low at $8.

These figures were turned in to the specialists this afternoon at the Outlook Meeting, when cards were handed around to those in attendance, asking them for their own opinion to hog prices in 1927.

The figures for the average on packer and shipper hogs on the Kansas City market last year were:

The highest prices reached in June, when the average for the month was $14.11. Prices reached the lowest in December, when $11.37 was the average. The average for the year for this grade of hogs at Kansas City was $12.48.

The "Outlook Meeting," a conference of representative farmers, bankers and newspaper men, held at the courthouse today for the discussion of the agricultural situation as Nodaway County is affected, resembled a school or class in farming economics.

Specialists from the College of Agricultural College at Columbia and a representative of the United States Department of Agriculture were the specialist teachers, with discussions led by the teachers and the farmers as students. Charts and accurate figures were used to estimate what products the farmers of this section of the country should concentrate upon this year.

The general economic situation appeared to the specialists to be about the same as last year, with the larger European countries offering a better market to the American farmer, in everything except wheat, and little change was expected in this production.

Great Britain and Germany are better able to pay for imports from the United States than ever before, it was declared.

D. C. Wood, of the agricultural economic department; H. C. Hensley, of the same department; E. A. Logan, statistician of the United States Department of Agriculture; G. B. Thorne, of the department of agricultural economics; and J. Ross Fleetwood, Nodaway County extension agent, led the discussions.

Much enthusiasm was aroused among those present at the outlook meeting, and regret was expressed that the attendance could not be as good as at a similar outlook meeting in Macon County, when 300 attended the conference. Today not more than thirty were present at the morning session, although more were expected this afternoon. About 300 from Nodaway County had been invited for today's conference.

Corn Prices About Same.

Mr. Thorne, speaking on the hog situation, said that the corn prices this year will be on about the same price level as last year, and hogs will be on about the same level as during the first six months last year. However, he said the predictions were for a slightly lower level on hogs during the last six months of 1927 from the 1926 level.

Reduction of cattle in this section of Missouri this year, will be profitable for the man who studies the markets, Mr. Logan, the well known statistician advised. He said the number of cattle on farms beginning this year was smaller than for many years, because of the immense number slaughtered last year.

He also stated that a few farmers raising the heavy type of cattle will find their time well-worth while, and that stockers and feeders will be the best bet for this year.

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U. S. Asks Cooperation of Italy and France

Communications To European Countries Are In Regard to Naval Limitations Meet At Geneva, In June

Washington, March 14.—Ambassador Fletcher is expected to deliver to the Rome foreign office today a communication requesting cooperation of the Italian government in the naval limitation conversations at Geneva in June among Great Britain, Japan and the United States.

A similar American communication was delivered to the French government today by Ambassador Herrick.

The new notes follow French and Italian rejection of the original Coolidge proposal for a five-power conference and British and Japanese acceptance of the alternative proposal for a three-power conference.

LEAGUE ARMS MEETS BEGINS

TWO GROUPS IN PRELIMINARY DISCUSSIONS.

U. S. WILL COOPERATE

While Not Participating Fully, This Government Agrees to Aid in All Possible Ways.

Geneva, March 14.—The disarmament committee of the Council of the League of Nations met here today to start what is to be the last lap in the League's preparation of its international disarmament conference.

The meeting of the council's disarmament committee will be followed Wednesday by the meeting of Subcommission "B" which is in charge of the economic and financial aspects of disarmament, and finally on March 21, the League's full Preparatory Disarmament Commission will meet for the final drafting of an international disarmament convention.

Once this draft convention has been prepared, it will be submitted to all of the governments of the world for their observations, and is only after all of these replies have been received that the League will finally summon the international conference itself for the disarmament convention.

Not Likely Before Spring.

While there is a possibility that the disarmament conference can still be summoned for the late fall, following the League's annual assembly in September, the general impression prevails in League circles that it will probably not be convoked before early next year.

While the United States is not represented on the Council Disarmament committee, which convened today, it being composed exclusively of the states represented on the League Council, it will participate actively in the various other subcommissions and the general preparatory disarmament commission. The American delegation is headed by Hugh Gibson, American minister to Switzerland, who is accompanied by a large delegation of military, naval and aerial experts.

Would Control Manufacture.

Geneva, March 14.—A special commission composed of all of the states represented on the council of the League of Nations convened here today for the purpose of drafting an international convention for the control of the private manufacture of war material.

Although the United States notified the League that the American Constitution does not give the federal government control of the manufacture of war materials in the various states, the United States agreed to participate with the understanding that the convention will provide merely for the fullest publicity by every country involved in any agreement which may be reached as to statistics on the private production of war material.

M. J. Dougan Files for Polk Collector

M. J. Dougan announces today his candidacy for the nomination as collector of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention to be held Saturday afternoon.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Jane Hudson, 82

Funeral Services for Mrs. Jane Hudson, 82 years old, Elmo, who died at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, were held at the home of her son, Joseph, south of Elmo, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Burial was made in Lamar Cemetery.

KELLOGG BACK TO HIS OFFICE

SECRETARY OF STATE FINDS SAME FOREIGN PROBLEMS.

MEXICAN REPLY SENT

Ambassador Tellez Leaves for Washington—Nicaraguan Charges Disturbs Department.

Mexico City, Mar. 14.—Mexico's reply to the latest United States note today was reported en route to Washington in the keeping of Ambassador Tellez, who left here last night.

Tellez refused to say whether he was going directly to the American capital. His hasty departure from Washington for Mexico City recently gave rise to reports, later officially denied, that he had been recalled.

Washington, March 14.—Secretary of State Kellogg came back to his office today after a fortnight's recuperation in the South to find the same old problems and some new ones.

The Secretary's associates thought he did not look well and noted his irritation over recurring reports that he will resign.

Mexico, China and Nicaragua [illegible] Mr. Kellogg's attention today. The reports on American interests in those countries, as given to him by his subordinates were not optimistic.

In connection with Nicaragua, the secretary was disturbed by the hue and cry over an alleged department order last fall to American Charge d' Affairs Dennis to secure the removal of Chamorro and election of President Diaz. Dennis has now submitted his resignation, charging that wealth and social position influenced diplomatic promotion, and the whole department is in somewhat of a turmoil.

Pacification of Nicaragua, which Kellogg hoped would take place during his absence from Washington, was described to him today as still a serious problem. The liberal General Moncado refuses to stop the civil war until Diaz resigns the presidency in favor of a neutral.

Mexican relations were described as more critical than at any time since the United States recognized that government. The virtual ultimatum served on the Calles government two week ago still stands. Alleged Mexican interference in Central America and her alleged confiscatory land-oil laws are the basic issue, together with charges of official Mexican propaganda here.

Kellogg is expected to postpone action until he talks with Mexican ambassador Tellez, who is returning here after a hurried, mysterious trip to Mexico City.

Reports to Kellogg on China showed that Chinese acceptance of his proposal is not in sight. The civil war there draws closer to Shanghai, where 5,000 Americans are endangered despite a United States armada and marine corps ready to fight to protect them.

The secretary appeared undismayed by these Far Eastern and Latin American problems and he was particularly cheered by prospects of the Coolidge naval limitations conference between this government, Great Britain and Japan, arranged in his absence.

Health Officer Held for Shooting Manager

Adam R. Johnson of Austin, Tex., City Executive Is Wounded Five Times—Not Fatal.

Austin, Tex., March 14.—Dr. C. W. Goddard, city health commissioner, was arrested today following the shooting of City Manager Adam R. Johnson in the city executive's office.

Johnson was wounded five times, but officers do not believe his injuries will prove fatal.

The city manager was found lying on the floor of his office shortly after the shooting.

S. H. Townsend, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia, was improved today.

Weather

Fair today; Tuesday probably increasing cloudiness; moderate temperature.

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St. Patrick's Day Program Is Given

Elizabethan Society Entertains At Weekly Assembly Of Maryville High School.

A St. Patrick's Day program was given this morning at the weekly assembly of the Maryville High School. The program was in charge of the Elizabethan Literary Society, directed by Miss Mabel Messick. A chorus of girls, dressed in costumes of Irish girls, singing "My Wild Irish Rose" and "Peggy O'Neil," brought a lehgthy encore from the students.

Those in the chorus were:

Grace Geist, R Dell Chick, Maxine Holt, Betty Hickernell, Delores Mozingo, Lela Maul, Delberta Mutz, Ruth Miller, Wilhemina Hansen and Laura Warner, with Doris Snodgrass at the piano.

A reading, "Judy O'Shea Sees Hamlet," was given by Floy Hall. The closing number of the program was a one-act play, "An Irish Invasion."

The cast follows:

Mrs. McManus, Ruth Kramer; Eileen her daughter, Helen Murray; Granny O'Ryan, Gwendolyn Leineger; Mrs. O'Donnell, Birdie Lemaster; Maggie O'Donnell, Mary Howard; Biddy O'Donnell, Leota Clary; Meira O'Donnell, Tersea Mae Donahue; Celeste, maid, Roberta Kingery.

Hughes Caucus Dates Are Set for Saturday

The Republican and Democratic caucuses for Hughes township, at which candidates will be selected for the township election, will be held at Graham Saturday, from 8 to 4 o'clock, according to an announcement made today.

R. L. Noblet has announced himself for the office of assessor, subject to the Republican caucus.

Ernest Ingels today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination of collector of Union township.

Corn, Cattle For Nodaway

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Mr. Wood spoke on the general agricultural ssituation while Mr. Hensley enlarged upon the foreign competition and demand outlook.

The alarming situation in China was mentioned to Mr. Hensley who replied that unless some of the large ports were closed by a blockade, China would continue to be a good buyer of United States products.

No More Laborers Needed.

Mr. Wood was questioned concerning a problematical overflow of labor in non-agricultural lines. Some wanted to know whether it would start a "back to the farm movement," to which Mr. Wood held a negative answer. The increased efficiency in machinery has lessened the need of any more laborers on the farm, he contended.

Those who attended the meeting were:

J. F. Boedecker, Parnell; Carl Wray, Guilford; Alfred Jones, Maryville; J. O. Thompson, Guilford; Otte Risser, Parnell; E. F. Scott, Maryville; A. O. Ruggie, Conception; H. M. Kennedy, Maryville; F. E. Rogers, Maysville; E. R. Coats, Maryville; J. A. McMahon, Olin Pistole, Hopkins; J. A. and John Barr, Burlington Junction; W. A. Perry, Maryville; Harry Clayton, Maryville; G. W. Smith, Bolckow; W. E. and Forrest Hinton, Pickering; Ernest Wray, Maryville; D. O. Belt, Maryville; Albert B. Dowden, Maryville; E. D. Lawson, Ravenwood; I. E. Rickard, Parnell; Paul Saxton, Maryville; C. L. Wells, Maryville; Oscar Horton, Ravenwood; Walter Rickman, Hopkins; A. L. Pistole, Hopkins; M. B. Rhodes, Pickering; H. D. Mitchell, Skidmore; LeRoy Sims, Burlington Junction, and Joseph Jackson, Maryville.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"The reason I caught cold was because Mary come over to borrow some sugar an' I had to hide on the side porch because Mamma was patchin' my pants."

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The conditions as detailed by specialists were given as follows:

For the crop season 1927-28, the agricultural industry as a whole should anticipate a domestic market not materially different from the present, though possibly somewhat better. The domestic demand for the 1926 farm production yet to be marketed during the first half of 1927, is likely to continue less favorable than that of either the first or second half of 1926.

Foreign Competition and Demand.

The purchasing power of foreign countries for agricultural products of 1927 will probably be equal to or greater than for the products of 1926. Improved economic conditions in Great Britain and Germany may more than offset depression in other European countries. It seems probable, however, that large foreign production of breadstuffs, fruits and animal products, next year will reduce foreign demand for our exportable surpluses of these products.

Livestock Favorable.

The livestock industries have been in relatively favorable position during the past year and they continue to represent the strength of the situation as agriculture enters the new season.

Farmers suffered some severe reduction in prices of their leading cash crops, however, notably cotton grains and fruit. The gross value of the principal crops, based upon prices December 1, 1926, was $7,802,000,000 compared with $8,789,000,000 a year ago.

In consequence, the conditions in certain important producing regions have shown no improvement within a year.

The disparity between prices of farm products and the cost of industrial goods and services is greater than a year ago.

The situation is clearly such as to discourage any general expansion of agricultural production. In some areas it apparently means a greater utilization of lands for pasture and forestry.

Agricultural Credit.

While the supply of loanable funds in the country at large is relatively abundant, farmers in many agricultural districts may find difficulty in obtaining adequate credit for production purposes. This difficulty will in some districts be due almost solely to a lack of satisfactory security for however, the want of local credit additional credit. In no case, will any credit difficulties that may exist be due to lack of credit supply for the country as a whole.

Labor, Equipment and Fertilizer.

Farm labor: The prospect that industrial employment will be less in the first half of 1927 than in 1926 indicates that a slightly larger supply of farm labor will be available in those regions adjacent to industrial centers, and wages may be lower.

The Corn Outlook.

Not more than the usual seasonal advance in corn prices from present levels is expected for this spring and early summer. The smaller 1926 corn crop was accompanied by a large increase in farm carry-over and visible supply, and a reduction in demand. The demand for the 1927 crop, and with the probable acreage increases in the South, an average wield would result in another year of low corn prices unless acreage in the Corn Belt is reduced from 10 to 20 per cent.

Beef Cattle Outlook.

The number of cattle marketed in 1927 will probably be matched less than in 1926. Unusually heavy slaughter of cattle and calves during 1926 reduced numbers on farms and ranges in the United States to the lowest point in many years. The demand for beef is expected to continue at about the same level as last year when total domestic consumption was the highest on record. No prospects of increased competition from abroad or from other meats in the domestic market are in sight. Prices of slaughter cattle are expected to average somewhat higher in 1926. Stocker and feeder cattle will probably meet a strong active demand throughout the year.

The Hog Outlook.

The outlook for the swine industry for 1927 is favorable. Present information indicates a 1927 market supply of hogs no larger and perhaps smaller than in 1926. Domestic demand is expected to continue strong but no improvement in foreign demand is anticipated. Hog prices are likely to be maintained during 1927 near the 1926 level. Prices similar to those now prevailing cannot be maintained through 1928 unless hog production is held down to the level of the past two years

Dairy Products.

Further slight decreases in dairy cows occurred in 1926, and numbers of heifers are insufficient for normal replacements. Production during 1927 which was partly due to exceptionally poor pasturage. Dairymen are likely to have a moderately favorable spread between the price of feed and the price of dairy products for a year or two should urban industries continue at approximately their present activity.

Horse and Mule.

Present numbers of work animals are apparently ample to meet farming needs the coming season, but the number of young stock is only large enough to maintain about half the number of work stock now on farms. Farmers can not expect to replace their work stock a few years from now at the low level of present day horse prices.

Egg and Poultry.

The year 1927 promises no material changes for egg producers in most sections of the country. Present indications point to a moderate increase in egg production but it is expected that there will be little change from last year's price levels. There is apparently no reason to anticipate any particular decrease in the production and marketings of poultry during the coming year so that the present heavy storage holdings of dressed poultry are likely to have a depressing effect on the poultry market unless demand increases.

Feed, Grain and Livestock.

The prices of livestock and livestock products at the present time are at the most satisfactory level since pre-war days. Even at this level some of the products are below the general level of prices of industrial commodities as measured by the index number of non-agricultural wholesale prices. Any material increase in numbers will reduce livestock prices and tend to decrease the total income from livestock production.

Hay and Pasture.

There is no prospect for a nation-wide increase in hay requirements in 1927, due to the fact that the number of hay consuming animals in the United States continues to show a downward trend. Average yields on an acreage equal to that of last year would produce a crop approximately 5,000,000 tons larger than the crop of 1926. Such a crop would be ample for prospective requirements even though the carryover of old hay will probably be smaller than a year ago, when the supply was the largest on record, notwithstanding the fact that the domestic supply, including farm stocks, for the past two seasons averaged about 10 per cent less than for the three preceding seasons. If an average equal to that of last year, is secured throughout the country in 1927, farmers in general are likely to receive lower prices for the hay which they have to sell the coming season.

Feed Outlook.

Supplies of feed grains, hay and by-product feeds are generally adequate for feeding requirements this season and prices on the whole are about the same as a year ago or slightly lower. Only about the usual seasonal advance seems probable for feed grains. Feedstuffs prices are now materially higher than they were earlier in the season but further sustained advances seem unlikely.

Clover and Alsike Seed.

The available supply of red and alsike clover seed is the lowest in twenty-five years and the prices are next to the highest on record. There have been four consecutive small crops of red clover, which in 1926 culminated in the smallest crop ever recorded. As large an acreage of red clover as possible should be harvested for seed this year because of the depleted stocks. Alsike clover seed production might well be increased because stocks in Canada, as well as in the United States, and potential acreage for seed this year are much below normal. The increase however, should not be so large as in the case of red clover because if a large crop is harvested this year in Canada, prices will be depressed in the United States.

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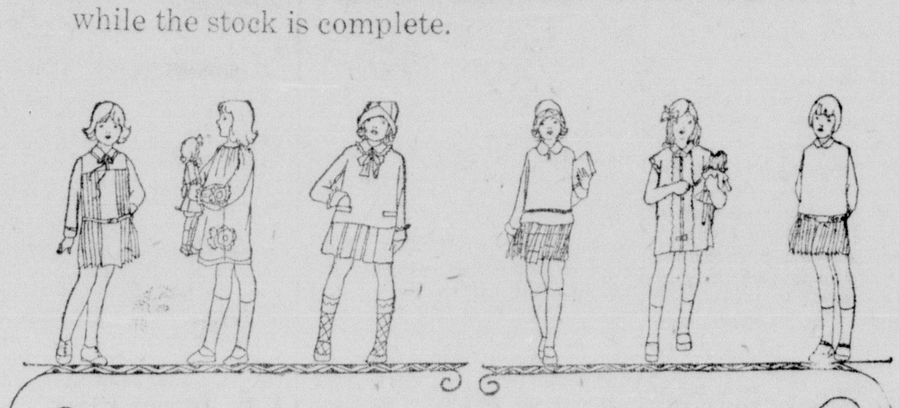

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SOCIETY

CLUB AND CHURCH CALENDAR

Tuesday

Mrs. J. P. Price's division, Ladies Aid Society of First Methodist Church, St. Patrick's tea in basement of church, 2:30 to 5 o'clock; program and refreshments.

Westminster Guild of Presbyterian Church meets with Mrs. J. W. Harper, 502 East First street; Miss Lucile Brumbaugh assisting hostess; lesson in charge of Mrs. W. H. Allen.

Mutual Improvement Circle, regular meeting at home of Mrs. Robert Lyle; program on South America.

Tourist department of Twentieth Century Club, March meeting with Mrs. R. C. Person, 203 West Seventh street, 2:30 p. m.; all members expected to be present.

Wednesday

Penelope Club, Mrs. N. F. Hopper hostess.

Epworth Sunday School class of First Methodist Church meets with Mrs. Anna Stauble, 303 North Prairie street, 2:30 p. m.

Mowry W. W. W. Club, all-day business meeting at home of Mrs. Nancy Neal.

Elkhorn Community Club meets with Mrs. Oren Force.

Herron Homemaking Circle and Olwell Willing Workers Club, joint afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. James Vert.

Thursday

Twentieth Century Club, twenty-first anniversary party at Elks Club, 2:30 p. m.

Merry Mingler Club meets with Mrs. A. B. Stiens.

Knabb Country Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Arch Willhoyte.

Bedison Community Club, Mrs. J. B. Snyder hostess; St. Patrick's day program.

I. F. A. Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Ira Mozingo.

Bloomfield Needlework Club meets with Mrs. John Bosch; roll call, Bible verses.

Skidmore Study Club, social meeting at home of Mrs. Margaret McKnight.

Friday

Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club, night meeting for members and families at Mozingo Valley school.

For Minneapolis Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Frank Sprecher and daughter, Miss Virginia Sprecher, of Minneapolis, Minn., who have been visiting here since Friday, were the honor guests at a dinner given at the home of Mr. Sprecher's sister, Mrs. Raleigh Souers, and Mrs. Sours, yesterday. Other guests were Mr. Sprecher's father, Amos Sprecher, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrison and daughter, Miss Catherine Harrison. The visitors left this morning for their home.

Parent-Teacher Meetings.

The Maryville Council, Parent-Teacher Association, will meet at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in room 9 at the Maryville High School. A meeting of the Washington Circle will be held at 3 o'clock in the same room.

Sewing Bee For Red Cross.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a sewing bee tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Waggoner on West Third street. Work is being done for the Red Cross and members are requested to bring needles and thimbles.

Epworth League Dinner.

This month's entertainment of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South, will take the form of a dinner at 6 o'clock this evening in the social service rooms. Appointments and decorations suggestive of St. Patrick's day will be used. The dinner will be followed by a business meeting and a social time.

Mrs. Hartness Entertains.

Mrs. Harry Hartness entertained with a dinner Saturday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Hartness and for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartness, who were recently married. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hartness, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartness and children, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hartness and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvine Neal and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartness, J. D. Dickerson, all of Maryville, Mrs. Virginia Hartness, Miss Josephine Wolfers, Miss Iva Hartness and Mac Weber of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartness and daughter, Mary Margaret Hartness.

Observe Three Birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart entertained at their home Saturday evening in celebration of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Lockhart, W. D. Williams and Glenn Guthrie. The occasion was also the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Guthrie. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Vert, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and children, Gara and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. Williams, sr., Miss Mamie Torrance and Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart. A fried chicken supper was served.

Miss Dvorak in Recital.

Miss Helen Dvorak of the music department of the State Teachers College will give a forty-minute violin recital at the meeting of the St. Joseph College Club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ralph W. Douglas. Miss Dvorak's numbers are given in illustration of the general topic "American Ideals in Music," one of a group of studies on "American Ideals."

Industrial Art Club.

The Mt. Pleasant Industrial Art Club held an all-day meeting with Mrs. W. B. Hanna last Thursday. The day was spent in quilting. Dinner was served cafeteria style. Among the members present were Mrs. Fred Neal, Mrs. Loren Hackett, Mrs. George Hantz, Mrs. J. L. Harrington, Mrs. Pearl Pence, Mrs. L. H. Gray, Mrs. Lowell Gray and daughter, Mrs. Berley Gray, Mrs. Charles Stafford, Mrs. Joe Farrar, Mrs. Ed Wiley, Mrs. Addie Hackett, Mrs. George Burch, and Mrs. Floyd Alexander. Mrs. Byron Hanna and Ethel Burch were visitors. An all-day meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Loren Hackett March 24, with Mrs. Addie Hackett as hostess. Roll call will be answered by jokes. Members are requested to bring thimbles and scissors.

To Celebrate 8th Anniversary.

The Mothers Club of the M. E. Church, South, will celebrate its eighth anniversary at the home of Mrs. A. J. Tarpley, 515 South Fillmore street, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Vance will be the assisting hostess. The affair will be in the nature of a juvenile party and the members will be in youngster's costumes.

Tilson Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Tilson had as their dinner guests yesterday noon their daughter, Mrs. Ben S. Eicher, and Mr. Eicher, of Kansas City who spent Saturday and Sunday here, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tilson and son, Billy. French, of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burchett of Graham announce the birth of a daughter, Rosana, March 11.

Mrs. Ed Thompson of Barnard visited in Maryville today with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maul. Mrs. Thompson spent yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oklesby of Ravenwood.

Ralph Hudson to be Graduated.

Through an error on the record books of the Maryville High School the name of Ralph Hudson was not printed with the list of graduates for next May, which appeared on the school page of the Democrat-Forum and Tribune Saturday. This addition gives the class a total of fifty-four prospective graduates.

Guest at Townsend Home.

W. L. Petrikin of Denver, Colo., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend over the week-end.

No Presbyterian Services.

Sunday School and Christian Endeavor were the only services held at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday because of the illness of the minister, the Rev. W. N. Dewar.

Visit Near Barnard.

Mrs. Charles L. Riley and Miss Frona Forman of Maryville spent the week-end at the guests of Mrs. Riley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gilbert, north of Barnard.

First Annual Coaches' Dinner.

Visiting coaches at the Northwest Missouri basketball tournament were entertained after the championship game Saturday night at the Knox Cafe by Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College. Next year's dinner will be given at the Country Club. Mr. Lamkin made a brief talk. Twenty-five coaches were present.

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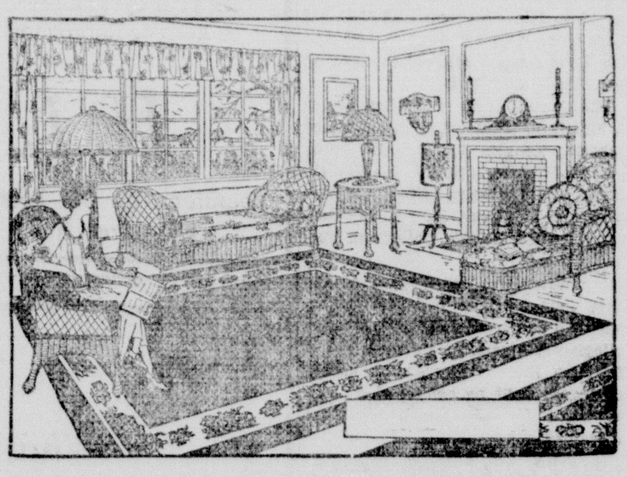

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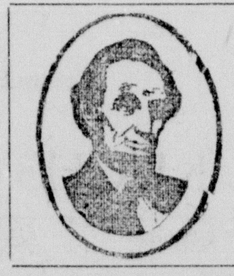

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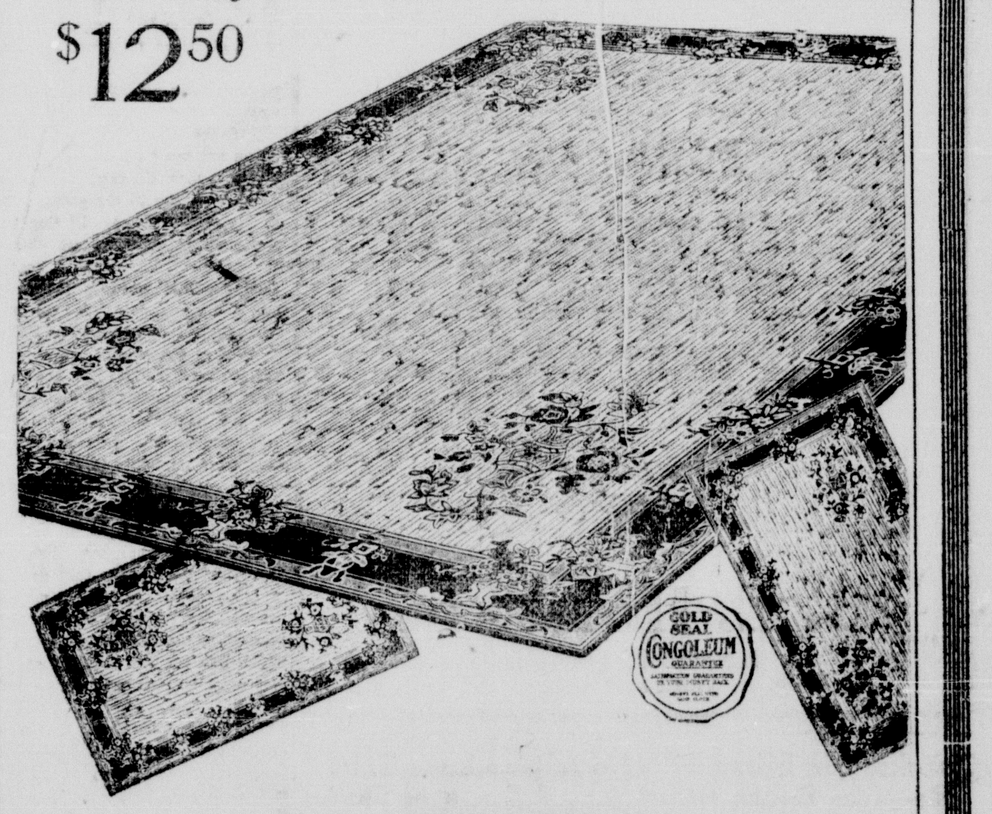

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Quackery in Missouri Receives Death Blow

New Medical Practice Act Is Signed—Chiropractic Bill Also Is Approved.

Jefferson City, March 14.—Diploma mills, which are charged with being responsible for quackery in Missouri, were dealt the death blow today when Governor Baker signed the new medical practice act, sponsored by the State Medical Association.

The new law will require four years of college training and an examination to determine the ability of the applicant and his fitness before he is allowed to enter public practice.

Governor Baker also signed the Chiropractic bill, which provides for a board to license practitioners of the chiropractic in the state.

Sister of Mrs. Sarah Friend Dies in Kansas

Mrs. Sarah Friend of Burlington Junction who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Brody, Wilcox, has received word of the death of her older sister, Mrs. Mary Jane Williams, 91 years old, at Coldwater, Kan. Mrs. Friend will not be able to attend the funeral.

He Is Goodness That Lasts' Declares James

"In Conflict Against Evil Forces God Is Leader," Methodist Pastor Tells Hearers.

"My God means goodness to me," declared the Dr. C. C. James of the First Methodist Church in his sermon on "What Does God Mean To Me?" yesterday.

"In the conflict against evil forces God is the leader. He has a heart that loves, a will that commands my love and respect—a mind that always blazes the trail of thought for me—all my needs are met in him—he loves, suffers, forgives, pardons.

"This is what God means to me. 'Closer he is than breathing and nearer than hands and feet'," the pastor declared.

"He is goodness that lasts. I am trying out ideals and I always return to God, The Ideal. God becomes the intelligent pilot of my soul. He is a personal life that touches my personality."

Harvey Finney of Colorado Springs, Colo., came Saturday noon to visit his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Littler, who is ill. Mrs. Littler's condition remains about the same.

CHURCH HAS NEW PAINTING

COPY OF PHOTOGRAPH BY MRS. VADA HALLEY.

"FORDS OF JORDAN"

Large Crowd Attends Services At First Christian Church Here Last Night.

The sermon on "Baptism in Sculpture and Art" at the First Christian Church last night was followed by the unveiling of a painting by Mrs. Vada Halley, 120 South Mulberry street, a copy from an actual photograph of the "Fords of the Jordan." The painting is upon beaver board four by eight feet and is to remain permanently on the back wall of the newly constructed baptistry. As the curtains were lifted to show the picture a quartet composed of Mrs. Fred Robinson, W. E. Goforth and Mr. and Mrs. John Mutz, sang from the balcony unaccompanied, one verse and the chorus of each of the songs, "Shall We Gather at the River," and "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand." Then while all stood, A. L. Nash offered a very appropriate prayer, and this was followed by the baptism of Miss Minnie Howard, a student at the college.

The building was well filled and the service was well received and unusually impressive and effective. Many remained for considerable time after dismissal to see the picture from different angles. "Mrs. Halley, who has done a monumental work in this church, has done her best in reproducing this beautiful Jordan scene. It will live and continually teach a great lesson and no one dares to say how long," the Rev. R. E. Musgrave, minister at the Christian Church declared.

"There is no doubt that God intended that the church should become an institution of world power," the Rev. Musgrave said in his sermon, "Teaching the Church World Power" yesterday morning. "Therefore Jesus said, 'Go ye into all the world,' 'The ends of the earth,' 'all nations,' 'the uttermost parts of the world,' 'every creature,' and added, 'teaching them' and more, 'Lo, I am with you always even unto the end of the world'."

"The church must believe in such a world or the end will never be accomplished. The limitations are not in God. It is His program and desire. The limitations are found in man. 'Every creature' would have heard the message long ago if God had had His way.

"If the church is to enjoy world power she must get rid of strife, envy, distrust, lack of faith in our fellowmen. Man is still the greatest element in his own problem. If this be true, and man is the greatest obstacle in the program he would accomplish, then the last word is the first, 'Ye must be born again.' Let us see anew what God intended us to be and do.

"Before the church can enjoy world power she must offer life, even as Jesus gave the example. In the Great War for the nation's life all things were held common and valueless, except as they were ministers to life. Until the church reaches such a point it will not have attained its highest power. Human good has a right to ask for all that the individual has. The wars of the world have made that demand.

"How does a nation get men for its army? By offering them a summer picnic? An afternoon tea-party? War offers nothing but sacrifice and death. Not primarily to save themselves but others.

"How does the church get men? By offering them safety and salvation for themselves. And that's as far as some men ever get in their religious education or activity. The church becomes to them a sort of great protecting agency. The great apostle said, 'I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living sacrifice.' Does not the church have a right to ask for the bodies of men in her world conquest? The church can never pray as she ought to pray, 'Thy kingdom come,' until she is ready to make the supreme sacrifice."

U. S. Is "Powerless" to Aid Senator King

Washington, March 14.—The government held today it was powerless to act further in the matter of Haiti's exclusion of Senator King, Democrat, Utah, as "undesirable." The State Department sought to induce Haiti to modify its exclusion order but word over the week-end here was that the Haitian president felt he must bar Haiti's door to the visiting senator.

His action was based on an allegation that King had attacked him and that the senator was linked with Haitian elements displeasing to the Haitian administration. His proposed visit to Haiti, it was held, would have coused internal political difficulties.

Cushman Party Is Home From California

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cushman and daughter, Bernetta Lee, returned yesterday from a motor trip to California. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. Cushman's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cushman and son, Howard Robert, of Bethany. They spent two weeks in Los Angeles. En route to California they were held up at Phoenix, Ariz., by floods, and in that city Mr. Cushman saw G. Dunkelmann, formerly a tailor here. The party left Los Angeles on the return trip Saturday, March 5, and they were detained two days at Magdalena, N. M. They arrived in Bethany on Saturday.

Court Postpones Road Hearing to April 7

Delegation Appears Today in Regard to Shortening Skidmore Road—View Township Tax Books.

The 1926 tax book of Hughes township was viewed by the county court today and accepted. The Hopkins township tax book was rejected again and the assessor sent back for further collections, to report at his convenience to the clerk of the court at a later time.

A delegation of farmers from south of Maryville appeared before the court today concerning the proposer shortening of the road to Skidmore from Maryville.

A petition had been presented to the court asking that a road be established from the pavement south of the city, at a point about four miles south, to extend for two and a half miles west to connect with the Skidmore road.

Due to the fact that the highway engineer of the county had not made a survey of the proposed road and estimated the probable costs and damages to the property owners, the court adjourned the hearing until April 7.

Communication With Japan Re-Established

London, March 14.—Communications between Europe and the interior of Japan were restored today but were subject to heavy delay, the Great Northern Telegraph Co. reported.

Communication was interrupted Saturday at Nagasaki, which meant that virtually the whole empire, including Yokomaha and Tokyo, was isolated.

W. A. Miller will go to Des Moines, Ia., tomorrow to attend the three-days' convention of the Iowa Retail Shoe dealers at Hotel Fort Des Moines. Mr. Miller is the first shoe dealer outside the state of Iowa to be invited to membership in the association.

Miss Margaret Remus, who teaches in the St. Joseph schools, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Remus.

John Mahoney is seriously ill at his home on East First street. His granddaughter, Miss Pauline Mahoney, came Saturday evening from St. Joseph, where she is taking nurses' training at St. Joseph's hispital, and will assist in caring for him.

Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and daughter, Miss Mildred Shinabargar, went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Harry J. Yeo of Kansas City will return home tomorrow after a several days' visit with his sister, Miss Addie Yeo, who has been ill of influenza. Miss Yeo is improving.

Mrs. William Coulter of Elmo, left last night for Maryville where she spent the day with George Coulter and from here she goes to Hale, to visit her son, Arthur Atherton, and other relatives.

Attend Hartsough Funeral.

Mrs. Sam Cordry of St. Joseph and Mrs. Nettie Hall of Savannah attended teh funeral of Mrs. Ed Hartsough at Wilcox Saturday afternoon. They are aunts of Mr. Hartsough.

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DEBATERS TO SHOW WARES

MARYVILLE MEETS CAMERON HERE TOMORROW.

AT COLLEGE NEXT DAY

S. T. C. Debaters to Argue Farm Relief With Central.—College Orators to Come Friday.

Debaters, orators and extemporaneous speakers will display their wares in Maryville this week.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the negative debating team of Maryville High School will meet the affirmative team of Cameron in argument of the World Court question. The debate will be held at the high school. It is the last of the elimination debates in the Northwest Missouri series and the winner will enter the finals to be held at the State Teachers College.

The other finalist will be Harmony or Lock Springs, depending upon the outcome of a debate at Harmony tomorrow night.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday morning the State Teachers College negative team will meet an affirmative team from Central College, Fayette, in a debate on the McNary-Haugen bill, and on Friday afternoon and night the College will be host to representatives of the other State teachers colleges in extemporaneous speaking and oration.

The Thirteenth Pairing.

The high school debate tomorrow will be the thirteenth pairing for Maryville, of which the local school has won eleven. Three of these debates have been in the district series, while six were in the state league. There have been three non-conference contests.

In the district series, Maryville won from Barnard and Sheridan, each time supporting the affirmative of the World Court question, and from Gallatin with the negative.

In the state league, Maryville won from Fairfax with the affirmative, from Burlington Junction and Rock Port by forfeit, from Harmony and Gilman City with the affirmative. The affirmative team lost at Smithville by a close decision and was thereby eliminated from the state competition.

In the non-conference meetings, Maryville won from Barnard with the negative, lost to Elmo with the same side and debated the affirmative another time with Elmo without a decision.

Cleola Dawson and Cleo King will compose the Maryville team in the debate against Cameron. Professor Dennis of Tarkio College will be the judge.

The debate at the College Wednesdal morning will be on the question, "Resolved: That Congress should enact legislation embodying the principles of the McNary-Haugen bill."

S. T. C. Team Expereinced.

The College will be represented by two senior students, Fred Street and Burdette Yeo, Miss Violet M. Eastman, debating coach, announced this morning. Miss Eastman said that her team is made up of veterans, and that she looks for a creditable showing on Wednesday morning.

The Central team is coached by Ira G. Morrison, president of the Missouri Debating League. The definite squad system of debate is used at the Fayette school, and the teams have been quite successful this year. On Tuesday Central will meet Tarkio College at Tarkio.

Representatives from each of the other four teachers colleges of Missouri will be here Friady for the intercollegiate contests. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the extemporaneous speaking contest will be held, and on Friday night the contestants will meet in oratory.

Kirksville will send an extemporaneous speaker but no orator, while Warrensburg, Springfield, and Cape Girardeau will be represented in both contests. It is likely that there will be no Maryville entries in either contest, as none have filed so far.

There will be a meeting at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning in the office of Uel W. Lamkin, president of the College, at which time plans for entertainment of the visitors of Friday will be made.

Clarence Bush, a student of the College, is president of the league, made up of the teachers colleges.

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DEATHS IN COUNTY DURING FEBRUARY NUMBERED 28.

22 PUPILS DEFECTIVE

28 Defects Are Found In Examination Of 22 Children; 65 Adults Visit Health Office.

Nodaway County's births numbered 50 during February, according to the report of the county health department. This is a decrease of five under last month's birth record.

The deaths in February were 28, the same as January.

The health department reports 12 lectures with an attendance of 211 last month. Bulletins distributed numbered 365, newspaper articles were 8 and circular letters were 25.

Sanitary inspection of private premises numbered 23; public premises, 11.

Twenty-three cases of communicable diseases were quarantined. Forty-three visits were made to cases of communicable diseases.

Three tuberculosis visits were made.

Two persons were treated for prevention or cure of goiter. One prenital case was given advice. Five home visits were made in this department of the work.

Twenty one infant or preschool children were examined and 21 office consultations with mothers were given. Ten home visits were made.

Twenty-two school children were examined and all were found defective. Twenty eight defects were found. Eight consultations regarding children of school age were held.

One talk on hygiene was given. Fifty persons attended nutritional classes.

Two new sewer connections were reported, one new water connection was made and one well was improved.

Sixty five adults visited the office during February.

Births For February.

Carrie E. Bremmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bremmer, Booker, Tex.

Irene Combs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Combs, Maryville, Mo.

Annabelle Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Wallace, Maryville, Mo.

Charles Lon Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiland O'Neal Thompson, Maryville, Mo.

Junior Dale Wilson, son of Mr. and Donald K. Wilson, Maryville, Mo.

Mary Alice Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Jackson, Maryville, Mo.

Billy Glenn King, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. King, Maryville, Mo.

Marvin Lloyd Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Norris, Maryville, Mo.

J. Ralph Garrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd T. Garrish, Skidmore, Mo.

James LeRoy Hayden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Hayden, Maryville, Mo.

Kennith Roland Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Henry Williams, Maryville, Mo.

Catherine Jane Coakley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orley Coakley, Maryville, Mo.

Florence Ann Dewyre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Dewyre, Burlington Junction.

Catherine Rebecca Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harris, Burlington Junction.

Unnamed child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Schmitz, Parnell, Mo.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wolcott, Sheridan, Mo.

Ernest Russell La France, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. La France, Quitman, Mo.

Ray Ellis Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lawson, Quitman, Mo.

Dale Leslie Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harris, Burlington Junction, Mo.

Marion Jean Birkinholz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Birkinholz, Maryville, Mo.

Erma Earline Harmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harmon, Barnard, Mo.

Ruth Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Collins, Barnard, Mo.

Norbert Dennis McMannis, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McMannis, Clyde, Mo.

Unnamed child of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brady, Clyde, Mo.

Geraid Hubert McQuinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McQuinn, Clyde, Mo.

Anna May Everhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Everhart, Conception Junction.

Paul Junior Sipes, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Sipes, Clyde, Mo.

Hubert James Merrigan, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Merrigan, Clyde, Mo.

James Reed Holtsclaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Holtsclaw, Conception Junction, Mo.

Frances Verline Raines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Raines, Elmo, Mo.

Margaret Elizabeth Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Crawford, Burlington Junction, Mo.

Helen Patricia Merrigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merrigan, Conception Junction, Mo.

Lloyd Edward Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nelson, Guilford, Mo.

Virgie Irene Treese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Treese, Pickering, Mo.

Helen Marie Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Kemp, Hopkins, Mo.

Lansing James Reese, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Reese, Skidmore, Mo.

Deloris Marie Lowrance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Lowrance, Skidmore, Mo.

Lawrence Lee Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bennett, Skidmore, Mo.

Lois Gene Lowrance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Lowrance, Skidmore, Mo.

Russell Wallace Peter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Peter, Skidmore, Mo.

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Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ingels, Hopkins, Mo.

Richard Lee Saxon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Saxon, Graham, Mo.

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James David Ballard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ballard, Ravenwood, Mo.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Furlong, Ravenwood, Mo.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett L. Messner, Parnell, Mo.

List of Deaths.

Lola Stonehocker, Allen Reece Haller, Ida Ellen Chester, Sarah Alice Cornell, Adelbert Price Skeed, Bessie Viola Matlock, Oakley Everett Kinder, jr., Reziah Painter, unnamed child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brady, Andrea Brainard, John Baker, Nora Ann Godsey, Clarice Arline Thompson, Agetha B. Lager, Lusina Armeta Wedge, John B. Young, Alfred S. Cochran, Wm. Edward Trublood, Clark Weaver, Unnamed child of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Schmitz, Emma Thrackery, Andrew Jackson Milligan, Levi Foster, Catherine Rebekah Harris, Beulah Francis Ross, Levi Lyle, James Harvey Murphy.

Prather Cites Job as Example of Faith

"We Should Trust the Lord Because He Is Right" Baptist Minister Tells Congregation."

"Though He may slay me, yet will I trust Him," taken from the thirteenth chapter of Job was the text which the Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the Baptist Church chose for his sermon, "Worth of All Trust" which he delivered yesterday morning.

"Job is a marvelous example of faith under trial and hardship," the pastor said.

"God is Creator and ruler over all. His will is absolute and must prevail. Man must submit. Man cannot sin and go unpunished. Yet God is not a tyrant, nor is man a cringing slave.

"Various motives serve to prop up our trust in God—it is good business, it adds social prestige, it protects from evil, it brings peace and plenty, it has God's favor and eternal rewards.

"God does honor such trust. He reveals himself to his faithful servant, commends him, and restores to him joy and abundance in his old days.

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FICTION

by Carolyn Wells

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE...

Death strikes GARRENTT FOLSOM while bathing at Ocean Town, N. J. After being perfunctorily examined by a doctor, the body is brought to the Hoted Majusaca, where an inquiry is started.

Folsom's bathing companions had been ROGER NEVILLE, MRS. BARNABY, and CARMELITA VALDIN. It is established that Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to NED BARRON, known as the copper king.

Then the startling announcement is made that Folsom had been stabbed to death in the water. ROSS, his valet, is questioned, as are Barron and his wife, but no light is shed on the mystery.

ANASTASIA FOLSOM, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is established that the death weapon was a pichaq, an Oriental knife, and that it and its scabbard had been purchased on the boardwalk.

Some suspicion attaches to one CROYDON SEARS, who is a collector of curious bladed weapons, and Anastasia asks TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to try to solve the murder.

It is also established that one CROYDON SEARS is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasia engages TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to work on the case. DAN PELTON, the dead man's nephew, arrives. Anastasia questions Croydon Sears sharply as to his whereabouts at the time of the murder and he is unable to prove that he was not near the spot.

MYRTLE, a chambermaid, and TUBBY, a bellboy, sneak into the rooms and Myrtle is enthralled by the strange French dolls that had been Folsom's. Pelton later accuses Myrtle of opening his luggage.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER 25

"No, sir," and Myrtle's eyes, raised to Pelton's face, fairly shone with truth. "No, sir, I didn't touch your luggage or your things at all. I did pick up the dolls and pet them, but, honestly, I didn't touch another single thing."

Myrtle was telling the truth, of course, and it rang in her voice, and Dan Pelton believed her.

"If there's one thing I can do," he said, "I can always tell when people speak truthfully. And I know you did. So, that's that."

"How queer. Can you always tell, Mr. Pelton?"

"Yes. Nobody can lie to me, and get away with it."

"And—and did you say—something about—" her courage gave out and she looked at the dolls in mute appeal.

"Did I say I'd give you a dolly?" he laughed. "Well, I half said so, didn't I? Which one do you like best?"

"This one," and Myrtle pointed to the dark-eyed one, the one with the lure of a siren in her sweet, haunting face. "That's the one Mr. Folsom liked the best."

"Oh, he did, did he? Then, take it! I'm glad to be rid of it. Take it, girl, and now, clear out. Don't look so hesitant. I've a right to give away the doll. They're all mine now. Take that one, and go."

"Yes, sir. Thank you, sir, very much."

And clasping her precious gift to her heart, Myrtle hurried away, almost afraid the donor might regret his act and ask the doll back again.

As ill luck would have it, she met Miss Folsom just coming toward her nephew's rooms.

"Here, you," the lady said, sternly, "what are you doing with that doll? It is my brother's doll."

"Mr. Pelton gave it to me, ma'am. He—he told me to take it."

"Well, you come back here with me, till I make sure of that."

Her sharp knock gained her immediate entry, and Dan Pelton scowled to see Myrtle and the doll back again.

"Get out," he cried, crossly. "What are you doing back here?"

"Hush, Dan," said Miss Folsom. "I brought the girl back. She says you gave her that doll."

"Yes, I did. Now I'm sick and tired of hearing about the doll. Go away, Myrtle. Come in, Aunt Stasia. Yes, I gave the poor child the doll, as she seemed to want it so much. I don't suppose she ever had a doll in her life."

"She never had one like that, surely. Why, Dan, those dolls cost an awful lot."

"I don't care. I don't admire them myself, I find, and if you want the rest of the bunch, you're welcome to them."

"Well, I'll see about them later, but don't give any more away to servants. She didn't select the best one."

"No, she said she'd choose the one Uncle Garry used to like the best. Fancy her being sweet on Uncle!"

"I don't believe she was. But she thought it must be the most valuable."

Meantime, the astute Tubby, who had long ago learned to distinguish between the side of buttered bread, was out on the hotel deck hanging around the chair that contained the portly person of Titus Riggs.

Privileged in many ways, Tubby was allowed free access to the deck, but he was not supposed to speak to the guests unless on an errand.

At last Riggs noticed the uneasy little chap, and called him to his side.

"What's it all about, sonny? What do you want to say to me?"

"How do you know?" and Tubby gaped his admiration.

"Oh, well, when a boy looks as if he'd just naturally bust if he didn't get something off his chest, I assume that it's a weighty matter. And when the said boy looks at me furtively now and then, yet with the expression of a dying fish, why, then, I just call him over and demand the truth."

"Well, you see, Mr. Riggs, I know sumpin'."

"You do! Really?"

"Now, don't kid me. I mean about this here now murder business."

Tite Riggs became grave at once. "That's no matter for jesting, son."

"I know it, I ain't jestin', sir."

"Well, then, what is it that you know? And why haven't you told before?"

"Well, I didn't know it before. And I dunno as I know it now. It's just a—a—"

"A suspicion?"

"Not even that. More like a—"

"A surmise? An indication—"

"No, no. I mean more a hint, a clue, a—a way to look."

"Ah, a way to look! That's fine, Tubby. Now, careful, tell me about it."

They were in a corner by themselves, and with lowered voices ran small chance of being overheard.

"Yes, but, Mr. Riggs, if—if it is any good—if it does help you—"

"Will you be paid? Yes, Tubby, you will. But only if it's good evidence or a real clue. Or a true way to look."

"Yes, sir. But if it IS all those things, will you—"

"Yes," a little impatiently, "yes, I'll see to it that you get paid. My Lord, Tubby, what a school for young grafters a big hotel is! Well, go ahead."

"It's only this. You've been all through Mr. Folsom's papers and letters, ain't you?"

"Pretty much. There's some of that work still to be done. Why?"

"Oh, only that Mr. Pelton has a big suitcase full of papers and letters and important looking documents—"

"And you think they're connected with Mr. Folsom's estate?"

"They's lots of 'em addressed to Mr. Folsom, and some of 'em in Mr. Folsom's writing."

"This is interesting. Where is this suitcase?"

"Up in Mr. Pelton's rooms. The rooms Mr. Folsom used to park in."

"How did you come to spy them out?"

Tubby looked duly and properly insulted.

"Nothin' like that, sir. I saw them when I took up some ice water."

"Oh, I see. I beg your pardon. Very careless of Mr. Pelton to have them in sight when you came in. Well, never mind, you did right to mention it, Tubs, and if anything comes of it, I'll remember you."

"Yes, sir; thank you, sir." And the bellhop went off and left Riggs to his cogitations.

It was a pleasant place to musk. The comfortable chair was placed just at a point where Riggs could command the boardwalk or could let his gaze go further afield, and view the wide expanse of blue ocean.

But with a little sigh of regret, he rose from the big wicker rocker, and betook himself up to Dan Pelton's rooms, having first acquired information by telephone that he was there and alone.

"I thought at first, I'd go for a confab with your aunt," Riggs said, as he took the seat and the cigars that Pelton offered. "But I felt that these first hours after the services for her brother, she ought to be left in peace."

"I see you don't know Aunt Stasia," Pelton responded, with a little smile. "She could go to the funerals of all her relatives and still be fit for any sort of interview with anybody. Shall I call her, or shall we go to see her?"

"Presently. Perhaps we might have a little chat by ourselves first. You're with us, Pelton? I mean with your aunt and me in this search for her brother's murderer?"

"Of course, Riggs—sure I'm with you, in that I want you to find him if you can. But I'm not so keen to have him found as Aunt Stasia is."

"Why not?"

"For a very simple reason. Because I fear if the motive for Uncle Garrett's death, or the identity of his murderer should be discovered, it—well, it might react unpleasantly on the—er—the family dignity, if not—honor.

(To Be Continued).

Dan Pelton suspects his uncle, Garret Folsom, of having been a blackmailer. Read the next chapter.

The Prince of Wales

The Most Interesting and Most Popular Personality of the Twentieth Century.

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"EDWARD THE EIGHTH."

By MINOTT SAUNDERS.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

London (United Press.—Great as he has become in the affairs of the British Empire and in the hearts of his people, the Prince of Wales has yet to live through the two chief events of his career. One is his marriage and the other his succession to the throne.

When King George V passes Britain will mourn the loss of a beloved ruler, the man who so nobly worked and suffered with his people duing the dark days of war. But when his eldest son takes his place there will be a king more popular and more deeply loved than any that has ever sat on the throne of England.

Only a misfortune can prevent the working of the immutable law. Young Edward enjoys excellent health and takes care of himself. An accident to him that would prevent his succession would be a great national tragedy. The present system of government is not likely to change, and no political party now in England would dare to stand in his way. So it is only logical to assume that he will be Edward the Eighth.

What Kind of a King?

What kind of a king will he be? This is the only question open to serious speculation. He has a will of his own and a tremendous following. The general impression is that with him the monarchy will be safe, perhaps glorified.

The other big event in his life, his marriage, still appears as uncertain as the first from the point of view of the time of its occurrence. Gossip has been trying to get the Prince engaged ever since he was a child. In 1911 there was a report that diplomatic machinery was moving to marry him to the eldest daughter of the German Kaiser and since then practically every available princess in Europe has been connected by speculation with him. He may even marry a commoner. If he married an English girl the match would certainly be popular with the people. The Royal Marriage Act does not now permit this, but the law could easily be amended by Parliament to accommodate Edward. The marriage of the Duke of York with a commoner, which did not come under the Royal Marriage Act because the Duke was not in the direct line of succession, has proven extremely popular. Several English girls have been mentioned as possible queens, but nothing has yet come of any of the rumors.

The Prince himself laughs off one candidate after the other. He seems the least concerned about his future in this respect. He is reported to have once remarked, "England had a virgin queen who was a great success; why not try a virgin king?"

Will Choose Own Wife.

In any event, it is rather certain that Edward will choose his own wife when the time comes.

It is no secret that the King and Queen would like to have their eldest son married. It is unusual for the heir to a throne to remain a bachelor so long. Although Edward will be thirty-three in June, he is still only a boy. Older men who have been in close touch with him through their service say that he has not yet reached the full flower of maturity. His powers, mental and physical, will develop further, it is said.

For a man who gets about so much and has met so many people of varied rank and nationality the Prince of Wales is astonishingly free from calumin a Montmartre cafe, or gambles at Dauville or Biarritz or blackens his face with burnt cork and does a mock "haka" as he did with his friends after seeing the Maoris exhibition in New Zealand, he does it with a good grace and only proves that he is a human being with a love of life. His reputation and character remain unstained.

When Edward becomes king he will probably suppress much of his natural enthusiasm which is so attractive in the Prince of Wales, but none of his people wants him ever to lose his delightful personality. He is already reconciled to his lack of freedom, but later his activities will be even more confined. And many believe it would be a pity if he were to marry now because he would lose that halo of romance which he wears as a prince who is single.

Remarkably Well Qualified.

Edward is remarkably well qualified to be king. He has been through a most painstaking course of training according to the ideas of three British monarchs, beginning with advice and suggestion from his great grandmother, Queen Victoria, who dearly loved him as a child, and with the help of Kings Edward and George. He has been in every corner of the Empire and knows all of his people so well that even now he is often consulted on empire affairs. More important still, his people know him. It is only reasonable to assume that not during his life time will this personal touch be lost. Under such conditions he is an asset to the State.

In a sense he is an enigmatical figure. For all his democratic spirit and conduct he keeps himself aloff, and none can tell what is in his mind and heart. He is flattered by men, besieged by women, and jostled affectionately by the common people, but he maintains his regal dignity.

The widespread interest in Edward of Wales is not an accident, but due largely to his own qualities. He can "walk with kings and keep the common touch."

Advertising

Feminine Charm Disappears When

the nose has an ugly shine. Keep the skin looking like a peach with this new wonderful French Process Face Powder called Mello-Glo. Stays on indefinitely—so pure and fine—prevents large pores—keeps your skin youthful. Get this new wonderful Face Powder MELLO-GLO at the toilet counter today.—Maryville Drug Co.

'Declaration of Faith' Mitchell's Subject

"God Must Be Our Guide" Declares Pastor of Methodist Church South.

"It is not enough that God be the God of our fathers. Nor is it sufficient that He be announced to the world as "This God is our God," declared the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, yesterday morning in his sermon on "A Declaration of Faith."

"God must be our guide. He is our God forever and ever, even unto death. Death itself shall not separate us from the love of God.

"The world consciously or unconsciously lives in God; because He is, we are.

"The very thought of God within the human mind is the greatest of all stimulus.

"God, as a living certainty, is essential to all life whether men recognize the fact or not.

"The only influence I know of that will captivate careers like Luther, Wycliffe and Wesley is the influence of Jesus Christ.

"There are a million powers in the world among which are interested friends and tons of human affection, but none of these can come into the heart where the battles of human life are.

"Only Jesus can enter where a man lives and have sufficient power to direct and inspire and encourage the conduct of his life."

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Tell him that the quick easy way to put pounds of solid flesh on his bones is to take McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets.

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Long serious illness and complications often follow Colds, Grip and Influenza. Guard your health against this danger. Price 30c.

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Since 1889

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hollowell and daughters, Mary Louise and Henrietta Grace, of St. Joseph were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton.

Cameron Yeary of Kansas City spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Yeary, and his sister, Virginia, 420 West Twelfth street.

Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Murphy of Creston, Ia., who has been spending a month's vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Wagner, near Maryville, returned to Creston Friday night.

Miss Eva Hood of Norman, Okla., and C. M. Whitman of Stroud, Okla., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Florea on North Main street.

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One thorough application of CARBOLINEUM lasts a year. Sold by
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While in France with the American Army I obtained a French prescription for the treatment of Rheumatism and Neuritis. I have given this to thousands with wonderful results. The prescription cost me nothing. I ask nothing for it. I will mail it if you will send me your address. A postal will bring it. Write today.
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To be held at the residence of the late William J. Linebaugh, Clearmont, Missouri

Saturday, March 19th

1 p. m. sharp.

1926 Ford Sedan, 1924 Studebaker roadster, Servel Refrigerator unit, gasoline lawn mower. Household goods consisting of several Wilton and Axminster rugs, large and small size; good parlor furnace; complete kitchen outfit; laundry stove; beds; dressers; springs; clocks; dining room tables and chairs; rockers; library tables; odd tables, and many other of the usual articles of household goods in use in the average home.

75 bushels of corn.

TERMS—Cash.

JOSEPH H. SAYLER, Administrator.
Pence Brothers, Aucts. Arch K. Frank, Clerk.

REMUS

Tuesday and Wednesday Specials

Toilet Paper, Gold Seal Tissue, 4 rolls	25c
Jello, all flavors, package	10c
Blueing, Mrs. Stewart's bottle blueing	15c
Tapioca, fancy Pearl, package	10c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, Richelieu Brand, large 12 oz. pkgs. fancy quality, pkg	13c
Matches, Diamond Match Co.'s Crusader, six boxes for	20c
Sugar, 25 lb. white cotton sack pure Cane Sugar	$1.75
Corn, No. 2 can full Standard quality Sugar Corn	10c
Tomatoes, No. 2 cans full Standard fine quality, solid pack Tomatoes, a real 15c value for	10c
Honey, well filled frames real white clover honey, 2 frames for	35c
Crackers, Iten's Fairy Sodas, 2½ lb. caddies	39c
Hams: Morrell's Pride, strictly first grade, 10 to 12 lb. average (whole ham) lb	30c
Brooms, good quality carpet broom	45c
Onion Plants: Johnson's Better Bermudas, direct from the grower (bunch of 100)	15c
Coffee: McLaughlin's Kept Fresh Coffees, always please. Gem 37c, Merido 44c Diamond 49c.	
Cheese: Pabst-ette Cheese, an ideal cheese for sandwiches, package	25c
Onion Sets: just arrived first quality red sets, 2 quarts	25c
Seeds: All varieties of new seeds, Standard brands, true to name, both 5c and 10c packages.	
Potato Chips: Fresh potato chips, 3 pkgs	25c
Carrots: New nice bunches, per bunch	5c
Parsnips: Home grown, per pound	5c

Quality **Buhler's** Service

Hanamo 750 TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY Farmers 201

Sun Brite Cleanser for every scrubbing purpose, regular size cans 5c

Fresh Cottage Cheese pint 20c

Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, a real treat, only 10c a can

Soup Alphabets made with eggs, pkg., 10c
American Beauty Macaroni or Spaghetti, 2 for 15c

Club House Sandwich Spread, will stand every test, small size 20c
medium size 35c
large size 60c

Fresh Fish for Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday.
Smoked White Fish, lb 35c
Kippered Salmon, lb 40c
6 lb pails Family Lake Fish $1.20
10lb white hoop kegs Holland Herring $1.40

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES arrive daily.
Head Lettuce, 2 heads 25c
Leaf Lettuce, pound 35c
Fresh Tomatoes, pound 25c
Fresh Radishes, bunch 10c
Green Onions, bunch 10c
Celery, large bunches 20c
Cauliflower, pound 15c
Carrots, bunch 10c
New Beets, bunch 10c
Green Mangoes, 3 for 25c
Parsnips, pound 5c
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs 25c
Fresh Mushrooms, pound 65c

Spiced Herring and Sardines, packed in quart glass containers 50c

Turtle Brand canned Foods are all extra standard quality at no higher cost:
No. 2 cans Stringless Green Beans, 2 for 35c
Red Kidney Beans, can 15c
Evergreen Corn, 15c
Soaked Lima Beans, can 20c
Early June Peas, 20c
Spinach 20c
Hand packed Tomatoes 15c

For Tuesday P. M., and Wednesday—Veal Sweet Breads, Flank Steaks, Pig Hearts Fresh Brains

Butter Nut Coffee, The Coffee Delicious, 1 lb. cans, 55c
3 lb. cans $1.60
10 lb. cream pails for $5.25

Carnation Milk, large cans 10c
small cans 5c

Bacon, Morrell's Breakfast, 4 to 6 lb. sides, whole or half, at lb. 32c

Steaks, all cuts, per lb. 30c

Boneless Pork Tenderloin, lb. 45c

Thompson's Double Malted, Malted Milk Chocolate Flavor, 1 lb. cans 60c

No. 2 cans Kraut, 10c
Hominy 10c

No. 1 tall Tomatoes, Ozark pack, 3 for 25c

Turtle Brand Hawaiaan Pineapple, sliced, large can 30c

Pork Steak, lb., 25c
Fresh Side Pork, per lb. 25c
Spare Ribs, lb. 22c

Bulk Dates, lb., 10c

Hershey's Cocoa, small tins 10c
medium tins 20c
large tins 35c

Dried Peaches, medium, lb. 25c
Fancy, lb. 35c

Fresh Ground Hamburger, lb. 17½c
Fresh Ground Meat Loaf, lb. 22c

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16	32c	48c	64c
17	34c	51c	68c
18	36c	54c	72c
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All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address:
The Advertising Department,
The Democrat-Forum and Tribune,
Maryville, Missouri.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for Polk Township Collector subject to the Republican primary. Your support will be sincerely appreciated.—EMMETT BARTRAM.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for the office of trustee of Polk Township, subject to the action of the Republican township convention on March 19th.—JOHN F. DOWDEN.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for Hughes Township Assessor subject to the Republican primary, March 19th. Your support will be appreciated.—R. L. NOBLET.

FLOWERS 4

KEEP COOL—PLANT TREES AND SHRUBS in April. Not necessary to order in advance.—Murray Nurseries, Maryville and Oregon.

LOST 10

LOST—Dark brown fur collar. Velvet ties. About 5 or 6 weeks ago.—Notify Democrat-Forum.

LOST—Saturday, A link bracelet set with red, yellow and blue sets. Red cameo.—Finder return this office.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

Outstanding Used Car Values

1—1926 Ford Roadster, glass enclosure, 5 balloon tires, motor meter, heater and other extras.

1—1924 Willys-Knight Touring. Has new paint and is in fine condition.

Besides the above we have several used bargains at the price.

SEWELL AUTO COMPANY
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GUARANTEED FORD USED CARS.

1923 Fordor Sedan, looks and runs like new.
1924 Coupe. Refinished and cord tires.
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One extra good One-Ton Truck.

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FOR SALE—Extra good 1924 Ford Touring and 1923 Ford Coupe.—E. C. Bagby Auto Co.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

Star Sales and Service

1—New Tudor Ford Sedan.
1—1926 Chevrolet Coupe.
1—1924 Ford Touring.
1—1924 Ford Roadster.
1—Dodge Touring.
1—Dodge Roadster.

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HAVE YOU SEEN the

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1923 Model Dort Six Touring car. This car is in excellent shape. Will give a world of service and is priced forth the money.

Only $150.
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See Fred C. Newlon
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CARS WASHED, REPAIRED 15

Refinish your car with the Best

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Don't Wait until spring months to have it done. Bring your car in now. Duco is the finish that is being used on the majority of the finest cars built. It improves with age.

LANNING TIRE, TOP, PAINT & VARNISH COMPANY
Main at First Street

BUSINESS SERVICE

THE TRADES 19

TUBULAR FORD RADIATORS
$12.00
Hog and Poultry Supplies
HEIDEMAN & LEET
East Side Square.
Tin and Furnace Work

ICE, COAL, WOOD, ETC. 20

GLOVER & ALEXANDER
COAL
FEED and ICE

SHOEMAKER — BOVARD
Transfer
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ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE

MOVING, TRUCKING 23

WANTED—General trucking. 1½-Ton Graham Bros. truck. Good care of stock.—Will McMahon, 242 Taxi Station.

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 26
HELP WANTED—MALE 27

RELIABLE, energetic man wanted at once by well known J. R. Watkins Company. Splendid opening in Maryville to distribute famous Watkins products to steady users. $35 to $50 weekly. No experience necessary.—Write The J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. D-6, 1529-35 Walnut St., Kansas City, Mo.

WOMEN—Plain sewing on Ideal Aprons. Earn good money in spare time. Enclose stamped addressed envelope for particulars.—Ideal Apron Co., Sea Gort, N. J.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 28

HIGH SCHOOL BOY wants work of any kind. Has had some experience clerking in store.—Call Hanamo 5135.

SITUATION WANTED—Young lady with some stenographic and bookkeeping experience.—Apply Democrat-Forum office.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

ENGLISH WYCOFF—S. C. White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Flock headed by cockerels out of certified blood. Tested flock $3.00 per hundred.—Mrs. Fred Lyle, Barnard phone.

REGAL DORCAS White Wyandotte eggs, $5 per 100; sweepstake pen of Northwest Poultry Show, $5 setting. W. O. Griffey, Farmers 3-15.

Read the Want Ads.

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

S. C. R. I. Red eggs 4 cents each.—Mrs. Harry Hartness, Farmers 41-14.

PUREBRED BABY CHICKS
$14 per 100 Delivered
$13 per 100 at the Hatchery
Custom Hatching.
GRAY'S HATCHERY
402 East 6th
Han. 4579 Far. 164-11

DRI-RUB—Dry Dip—For hogs, poultry; Made by George H. Lee Co., makers of Germozone.—Koch Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—Purebred Anacona eggs 50c per 15; $3 per 100.—J. T. Alsup, Ravenwood at S. P. Ross farm ½ mile east Harmony church.

JUST-RIGHT CHICK STARTER

Mrs. Hen Says: Give my Baby Chicks Just Right Starter. It is the best and costs less.
$3.75 per 100.
B. A. Frost Poultry Co.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK hatching eggs. Pure blood. Heavy bone and fine barring. $3.50 per 100.—Mrs. Helen Moore, Ravenwood.

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WHITE LEGHORN
World Famous Barron Strain
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$3.00 per 100
Come and see them
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10 Miles South Maryville on Concrete.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

FOR SALE—Some good farm mares, also some good mules.—Jim Andy Ford.

FOR SALE—Good mules, 4 and 5 years old.—C. E. Holliday, Graham.

FOR SALE—Two Angus bulls, 1 yearling, 1 coming 3, price $45 and $60.—Tom Lyons, Farmers 34-15.

MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

FOR SALE—Radio cabinet; Pooley radio cabinet for Atwater Kent Radio, phone Heartney, Hanamo 387.

FEEDS, GRAINS 37A

FOR SALE—Home grown red clover seed; no obnoxious weed seed.—T. A. Parish, Farmers 54-11 or 280-11.

FOR SALE—Red clover seed at Farm Bureau office.—Al Gross.

WANTED TO BUY 38

WANTED—Clean rags, free from buttons.—Democrat-Forum & Tribune.

WANTED—Used 3 or 4 drawer letter file, oak or steel. Also steel cabinet for office.—Phone Maryville Hatchery.

FOR SALE—3-burner Perfection Oil Stove. High top, enamel.—Hanamo 6459.

FOR SALE—Complete, nearly new, living room, bed room and dining room suites, rugs, oil stove, heater; many other articles.—Mrs. Frank Schumacher, Hanamo 340.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—80-acre farm.—Glover & Alexander.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—Fine six-room house, strictly modern; good garage, across the street from hospital. Possession anytime.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—By the year. Two modern seven-room houses in good locations. Fred Kurtz, Hanamo 649.

FOR RENT—Ten-room house with one acre ground. Chicken houses, cave, and garden. One mile south town on pavement.—See W. N. Deatherage.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—A large downstair front room, modern.—309 West 4th Street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished modern rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs. Also a garage if wanted.—Call Hanamo 3511.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern 8-room house, on pavement, close in; West Side. Possession March 1st.—J. A. Speirs, Hanamo 307 or 633, Farmers 87.

FOR SALE—Six room house, good condition, lights, cave, two good lots. Price $1800. $100 cash, Balance $20 a month.—Yeo Bros.

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LEGAL NOTICES 51

(Insertions March 9, 14 and 16).

NOTICE OF CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given that the Republican Convention for White Cloud Township will be held at the Davis School House in White Cloud Township at 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, March 19, 1927, for the purpose of nominating candidates to the following offices: Trustee, two members of the township board, collector, assessor, constable, and one justice of the peace.

F. F. HARTMAN, Committeeman.

NOTICE OF TOWNSHIP CONVENTION

A convention of the Democratic voters of Polk Township is hereby called to meet at the Courthouse in Maryville on Saturday, March 19, 1927, at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various offices to be voted for at the Township election.

CHARLES F. McCAFFREY
Chairman

THE DEMOCRATS OF GREEN TOWNSHIP are hereby notified to meet at 2:30 p. m., on Saturday, March 19, 1927, Quitman, Mo., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various township offices.

H. D. McDONALD, Committeeman.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING

The Democrats of White Cloud Township will meet at the Davis School House on Saturday, March 19, 1927, at 3:00 p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various offices, to be voted on at the Township Election to be held March 29, 1927.

SHERMAN BEELIN, Committeeman.

NOTICE

Candidates for nomination for Mayor and Councilman of the City of Maryville, Missouri, at a Primary Election to be held in said City on Tuesday, March 22d, 1927.

For Mayor—

W. O. GARRETT
(Vote for one)

For Councilmen—

T. C. COIL
D. E. HOTCHKIN
ERNEST C. MOORE
A. N. (DOLL) REECE
WILBERT REESE
AUGUSTUS ROMASSER

(Vote for two)

Official ballot.
Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

County Has 20 Cases of Scarlet Fever

One Small Pox Victim In Maryville; Two Persons Have Chicken Pox and One Has Measles.

Nodaway County has 20 cases of scarlet fever, the monthly report of the County Health department issued today shows.

None of the cases are critical, the report indicated and there have been no fatalities from the disease.

Maryville has one case of small pox. There are two cases of chicken pox in the county and one case of measles.

"The county is unusally free from contagious diseases with the exception on the small epidemic of scarlet fever." Dr. C. P. Fryer, health official, declared.

List of Instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, Beginning Mar. 5.

R. E. Lyle to M. A. Clark Int. in E½ SW-33-65-35; NW-NW-4-64-33, $1.

H. Clark to S. B. Smith and wife, NW-NW 29-66-35, $1600.

W. J. Breit to Wm. Doffing Part NE Part NW 36-62-35, $17,530.25.

C. E. Dawson to W. R. Linville, N½ NE 36-64-37, $1.

Z. G. Johnston et al to W. F. Bain, Part Lt. 3 Blk. 4, Elmo, $300.

Clara Lyle et al to L. W. Lyle, Int. in Part SE 23-63-36, $12,000.

Wiley Lankford to S. H. Davenport, N½ NE 12-62-37, $12,000.

F. W. Smith to C. H. Rockwell and wife, S½ NE 14-63-37, $10,800.

H. H. Mutz to J. P. Deardoff and wife, N½ SE and S½ NE 5 part N½ SW Part NW 5-64-35, $12,000.

T. A. Ivie et al to Katherine Lorenson S NE 17-63-34, $7,000.

T. A. Ivie et al to H. C. Hanson and wife SE NW 17-63-34, $3,000.

O. A. Petty to M. A. Hollensbe et al SE NE 27-65-35, $2850.

W. W. Alexander to E. R. Alexander Part SE Part S½ SW 23-66-35, $1.

H. C. Martin to Mary Gann, E½ SW 26-65-34, $1.

E. L. Morgan to M. E. Talbott, Part NE 11-62-37, $1000.

Vern Henson to L. M. Fannon, Part SE 3-64-34, $7300.

S. H. Davenport to N. H. Troth and wife, N½ SW 34-62-36, $10,400.

C. G. Hooper to R. C. Shields, NE 22-63-35, $25,000.

Cleve Owens to Clyde Barrett and wife, Lt. 9 Blk 2 in 7th add Skidmore, $1100.

E. F. Russell to Jos. Jackson, Part SW NE 19-64-35, $1.

G. B. Loomis to J. W. Spoonemore Int. in S½ NE Part SE 24-64-34, $6500.

Zack Elliott et al to Inez Wakeley and husband, Lts 1-4-5, Blk. 3 Browns add Graham, $600.

H. L. Albright to Gertrude Kenady Lt. 7 W½ 8, Blk. 3 Highland View add Skidmore, $1550.

J. R. Masters to S. F. Hasty, Lt. 7, Blk. 2 in 1st add Skidmore, $4,800.

W. R. to C. W. Alexander, S½ SE 25-64-35, $1.

MT. VERNON

Cassie McGinness was absent Wednesday and Thursday. This was Cassie's first absences this term. Alice and Wilma Thornhill were absent Friday.

We received our Medicine Cabinet, which we were awarded for selling 500 Christmas seals, this week.

We had a ciphering match Friday afternoon. Jim McGinness and Howard Arthur chose up sides and Howard's side were champions.

Mrs. Harold Andrews, who has been at the home of her parents, Mr. and R. L. McGinness, for some time went to her home at Blanchard, Tuesday.

KNABB ITEMS

Lawrence Logan and Irvin Killiam visited the school Tuesday afternoon.

A community meeting was held last night. A ciphering and spelling match was given. Refreshments of pie and coffee was served.

Maxine Hardisty was absent from school Wednesday.

Leroy Adams spent last week with his grandparents, Clarence Duncan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sheely spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Zimerman and and children and Roberta Goforth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry David and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill and daughter, Mary, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill.

J. E. Pierson spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hardisty.

Jackie Hardisty spent Tuesday afternoon with his aunt, Mrs. George Craig.

Mrs. Alva Hardisty and son, Jackie, spnet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Birkenholz.

Independence—Citizens of this city will vote this spring on a proposition to increase the school tax for building and repairs.

Kennett—A $12,000 bond issue for school improvements was carried at a special election here last week.

Clinton—A produce firm in this city has received an order to ship ten carloads of eggs to Buenos Aires.

Vandalia—E. C. McCarroll has resigned as mayor of Vandalia in order to devote more time to personal business.

Paris—W. F. Buckner, of this city, is believed to be the sole surviving veteran of the Mexican War. He is 99 years old.

Bolivar—The name of the Commercial Club here has been changed to the Bolivar Chamber of Commerce.

Holt—For the third consecutive year, Glenn Taylor, of Holt, won the Clay County School Spelling contest.

Washington — The new 5,850-acre Franklin County has now been formally deeded to the state.

Poplar Bluff—Farmers of Ripley and Butler counties are planning the organization of a cow testing association.

Liberty—The Armour-Swift-Burlington Bridge at Kansas City will probably be opened as a free bridge by May 15.

Baring—Stanley V. Rollins, of Kirksville, has been awarded contract to build a new $12,000 school building here.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,000; market steady to 10c higher.

Top, $11.85; bulk, $11.25 to $11.65.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,200; market uneven, mostly steady.

Bulk of steers, $9 to $11.

Top, $11.70.

Cows and heifers, $4 to $9.50.

Calves, $6 to $12.

Stockers and feeders, $7 to $8.75.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market steady to 25c lower.

Lambs, $14 to $14.75.

Ewes, $8.50 to $9.60.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 13,000; market strong to 10c higher.

Cattle

Receipts 6,000, including 2,000 calves; all classes strong and active.

Sheep

Receipts 1,500; market practically nothing sold.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 3,900; market steady.

Cattle.

Receipts 6,000; fed steers and yearlings steady to strong.

Sheep.

Receipts 10,000; market 15c to 25c lower.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 49,000; market steady to 10c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,200, including 1,000 calves; most killing classes steady to weak; veaiers steady to 25c lower; stockers and feeders firm.

Sheep.

Receipts 17,000; fat lambs 25c to 35c lower.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 6,000; market strong.
Bulk, $11.20 to $11.60.
Heavies, $11.10 to $11.40.
Butchers, $11.55 to $11.65.
Lights, $11.65 to $11.90.
Pigs, $11.75 to $12.50.

Cattle.

Receipts 15,000; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $12 to $13.25.
Dressed beef steers, $8.50 to $12.
Western steers, $8.75 to $12.10.
Southern steers, $7.50 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $6.25 to $9.50.
Cows, $4 to $8.25.
Heifers, $6.25 to $10.75.
Bulls, $5.50 to $7.
Calves, $6 to $13.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market strong.
Spring lambs, $13.75 to $15.25.
Yearlings, $11.25 to $13.
Ewes, $8 to $9.25.
Wethers, $8.75 to $9.50.
Stockers and feeders, $13.50 to $14.60.

Chicago Grain Table.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
May	1.38¾	1.38⅞	1.38½	1.38¼	1.38⅝
July	1.32¾	1.32⅞	1.32½	1.32⅝	1.32⅞
Sept.	1.30¼	1.30¼	1.29⅞	1.30⅛	1.30⅜
CORN—					
May	.77¼	.77⅝	.76¾	.76¾	.77⅛
July	.81	.81⅜	.80¾	.81	.81
Sept.	.84½	.84⅞	.84¼	.84½	.84⅜

Chicago Cash Grain.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.34½; No. 3 red, $1.29½ to $1.30; No. 2 hard, $1.34½ to $1.38½; No. 3 hard, $1.32½.

CORN—Receipts, none; no quotation.

OATS—No. 2 white, 48½c to 49c.

HAY—Timothy, $4.75 to $5.25; clover, $31.50 to $35.25.

BARLEY—[illegible] to 77c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 200 cars; market for both hard and red, unchanged; No. 2 hard, $1.32 to $1.37½; No. 3 hard, $1.31 to $1.36½; No. 2 red, $1.30 to $1.31; No. 3 red, $1.28½ to $1.30.

CORN—Receipts 43 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 70½c to 73c; No. 3 mixed, 67½c to 70c; No. 2 yellow, 73½c to 75c; No. 3 yellow, 70½c to 73c; No. 2 white, 71½c to 72c.

OATS—Receipts 11 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 white, 47½c to 49½c.

RYE—No. 2, 97c to 98½c.

BARLEY—No. 3, 72c to 74c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $14 to $15; timothy, No. 1, $15; alfalfa, choice, $21.50 to $24.

Eggs, 22½c; selected, 27½c; butter, 54c; packing, 23c; hens, 22c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 35c; ducks, 24c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 14.—Although wheat was fairly active, prices moved within a narrow range of about ¾ cent on the Chicago board of trade today and closed ¼ to ⅜ cent lower. Receipts were 51 cars. The cash market was steady.

Corn was again relatively firmer than other grains, with some commission house support on the dip. Closing prices were off ⅝ cent to ⅛ cent higher. Receipts were small at 130 cars. The cash market was steady to ½ cent higher.

Oats were easier following a steady opening, closing ⅜ cent off, receipts of 130 cars causing some selling. The market was steady and unchanged.

Provisions were firm in spite of the weaker hog prices.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per dozen	19c
Cream, per lb.	47c
Hens, per lb.	18c
Leghorn, hens, per lb.	17c
1927 Springs, per lb.	30c
Geese, per lb.	8c
Roosters, per lb.	12c
Hides, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb.	10c

Miss Lillian James returned to St. Joseph yesterday morning after a week end visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James.

St. Louis—F. W. A. Vesper, a former president of the Chamber of Commerce, has accepted the chairmanship of the St. Louis Municipal Advertising Campaign committee for 1927. The campaign is now in its eighth year.

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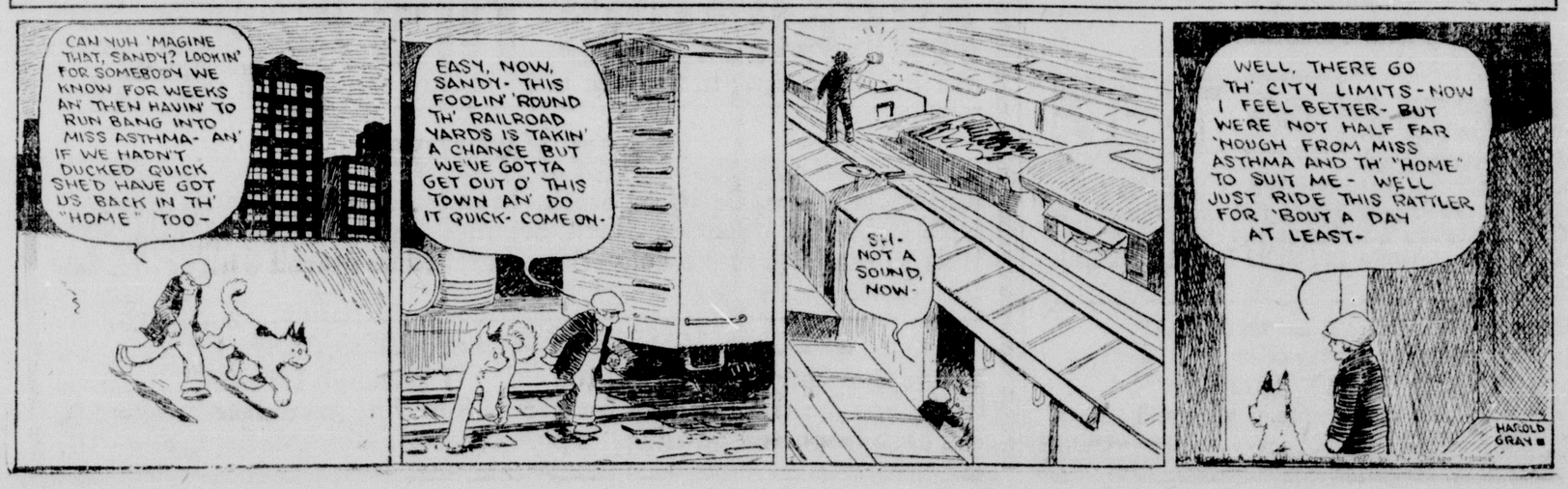
CAN YUH 'MAGINE THAT, SANDY? LOOKIN' FOR SOMEBODY WE KNOW FOR WEEKS AN' THEN HAVIN' TO RUN BANG INTO MISS ASTHMA- AN' IF WE HADN'T DUCKED QUICK SHED HAVE GOT US BACK IN TH' "HOME" TOO-
EASY, NOW, SANDY- THIS FOOLIN' 'ROUND TH' RAILROAD YARDS IS TAKIN' A CHANCE BUT WE'VE GOTTA GET OUT O' THIS TOWN AN' DO IT QUICK- COME ON-
SH- NOT A SOUND, NOW-
WELL, THERE GO TH' CITY LIMITS- NOW I FEEL BETTER- BUT WERE NOT HALF FAR 'NOUGH FROM MISS ASTHMA AND TH' "HOME" TO SUIT ME- WELL JUST RIDE THIS RATTLER FOR 'BOUT A DAY AT LEAST-
HAROLD GRAY

BEARCATS WIN IN 1ST ROUND

TEAM IS "HOT," DEFEATING WISCONSIN FIVE, 53-38.

ENTIRE SQUAD IS USED

Burks Leads Scoring in National Tournament Game.—Next Clash With Oilermen Quintet.

BULLETIN.

The Maryville State Teachers College Bearcats were defeated by the Comar Oilers of Tonkawa, Okla., tomorrow in the second round of the A. A. U. national basketball tournament at Kansas City. The game will be the fourth tomorrow morning, scheduled for 11 o'clock.

With Paul Burks, Orville Hedges, and Captain Gordon Joy rifling shots at the basket from all angles and all distances, the State Teachers College Bearcats won their way into the second round of the National A. A. U., basketball tournament at Kansas City at 11 o'clock this morning. The score was 53 to 38, and the Kimberly-Clark team of Kimberly, Wis., was the defeated quintet.

The Bearcats will play the Comar Oilers of Tonkawa, Okla., in the second round of the tournament. Coach H. Frank Lawrence said in a telephone call to the Democrat-Forum this afternoon that he did not know when this game would be played.

According to the Bearcat coach, the outstanding thing about the game today was the defensive work of his team. A computation made by a Kansas City sports writer showed that the Kimberly team caged but six "legitimate" shots, and that all the rest were long flips from near midcourt.

The Bearcats played ragged basketball at times during the first half, which ended with the Maryville team leading, 21 to 15. Mr. Lawrence said that several times during the second half his team displayed flashes of brilliant basketball.

Paul Burks led the Maryville scoring with eight field goals and two free throws. Hedges made six field goals, and Joy made four field goals.

Coach Lawrence used his entire squad of nine players in the game, and all save Crane counted in the scoring. Conner, substitute forward, made three field goals. The reserves were sent into the game about the middle of the second half.

Coach Lawrence said that the Comar Oilers, the team which eliminated Westminster College this morning, 36 to 31, are a good basketball team, but that if the Bearcats are playing in true form they should emerge victors in the game which will likely be played sometime tomorrow.

The Bearcats are staying at the Coates House in Kansas City.

Following is the box score of this morning's game:

Kimberly (38)	FG	FT	F
Koll, f	4	0	1
Pope, f	0	0	0
Conchrane, f	3	0	0
Cooke, c	4	1	1
Shurele, g	3	2	0
Williams, g	3	1	0
Total	17	4	2
Maryville (53)	FG	FT	F
Hedges, f	6	0	1
Ungles, f	1	1	1
Conner, f	3	0	0
Burks, c	8	2	0
Lisle, f	1	0	1
Iba, c	1	0	0
Berst, g	1	0	1
Joy, g	4	0	2
Crane, g	0	0	0
Total	25	3	6

Tournament scores to date follow:

Leacocks, St. Louis, 61; Red Crown, Wood River, Ill., 13.

Comar Oilers, Tonkawa, Okla., 36; Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., 31.

Parsons, Kan., DeMolays, 22; Ivandale Social Club, 20.

Ruby Ave., M. E., Kansas City, Kan. 23; New England Bank, Kansas City, 17.

Washburn College 45; Empires, Springfield, Ill., 43.

Tulsa Eagles 46, Omaha Chevrolet, 39.

Monons, Lafayette, Ind., 44; Hibbing, Minn., Aces, 15.

Oak Park, Kansas City, 43; Capitol Loan, Topeka, Kan., 22.

Northern Illinois Teachers, 45; Bridgeport 32.

St. Joseph, Mo., Boosters, 46; Jackson U., Chillicothe, Mo., 17.

South Side Turners, Indianapolis, 44; Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill., 22.

St. Joseph Boosters, St. Joseph, Mo., 34; Hollywood A. C., Hollywood, Cal., 20.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holaday and daughter of Barnard were Maryville visitors today.

CARROLLTON TAKES TITLE

PICKERING IS DEFEATED IN TWO EXTRA PERIODS, 12-10.

STALLING GAME AGAIN

Winners Take Two-Point Lead and Refuse to Try for More.—Maysville Wins Consolation.

Basketball may be played in a number of different ways, but Saturday night the quintets from Carrollton and Pickering high schools crowded all different kinds of basketball into a game which went into two extra periods before the Carroll Countians annexed the grand championship of high school basketball for Northwest Missouri. The score of the game was 12 to 10, and it witnessed the climax of the annual district tournament sponsored by the State Teachers College here.

Carrollton had won the championship of Class A in the afternoon, and Pickering had captured the title in Class B. Maysville and Holt were the schools eliminated in the class finals.

And Saturday night a goodly-sized crowd assembled at the College gymnasium to see the team which was self made battle with the quintet which was forced to leave its coach at home in Carrollton.

For the District Title.

Both organizations had battled through four rounds of fast basketball to win their class championship, and both were keyed up for the game, which carried with it the district title and the handsome trophy awarded by H. L. Raines, Maryville jeweler.

The big game did not start until 8:30 o'clock. As a curtain-raiser, Maysville and Holt, the class runners-up, played off the consolation finals, and Maysville won, 36 to 30.

And then the referees, John Bunn and J. C. Cohlmeyer, called the champions together for the tournament's big game.

Both teams were wary at the start, but Carrollton got the scoring break, and after a whirlwind first quarter was leading, 5 to 4. In this period, "Curley" McKee, Pickering center, was placed in a precarious situation by having three personal fouls called on him. One more meant dismissal from the game, and "Curley" McKee couldn't afford to be sent from the floor.

Carrollton gained a margin of another point in the second quarter, and the score at halftime was 9 to 7. The fans were in a jovial mood, for they were being treated to a fine game of basketball.

Leaders Begin to "Stall"

At the beginning of the third quarter the referee tossed the ball into the air and blew his whistle. For about the first time in the game, Perks, Carrollton center, took the tip and his team had possession of the ball.

And right there the activities of the referees' whistles ceased, for Carrollton, hugging to a leading margin of but 2 points, did nothing else than stall with the ball for the full 8 minutes of the third quarter. Tomlin and Hynson, Carrollton guards, dribbled the ball in backcourt, but would not attempt to penetrate the Pickering defense.

The crowd, which heretofore had been about evenly divided, shifted somewhat to Pickering, and cries of "Coward," "Warrensburg," and "Loafers" were heard. But this had no effect on the Carrollton team, and the period ended with the ball still in its possession and the score still 9-7.

While many rooters were berating the Carrollton team, there were many others who contended that there were five Pickering players to go out after the ball. As one fan put it:

"The table is set, the meal is served; come and get it."

Pickering Ties It.

The fourth quarter was one of more action, and it ended with Carrollton having tallied a free throw and Pickering having scored a field goal and a charity shot. The score was tied at 10-all.

After a brief respite the teams were called back to the fray, but there was no scoring, and in 3 minutes the timer's gong again halted the game.

Another extra period was called for, and in this period the Pickering hopes rose to a dizzy height and then fell in a hurry. With the period half over McKee got loose under the Carrollton goal, but he missed a set-up. Then came a Carrollton foul, and McKee again had a chance to win the game. But he was over-anxious and the ball rolled off the rim. The second extra period was almost over and still the score was tied.

Carrollton took the ball and warily wended its way down the court. Tomlin, the guard, dribbled around the center of the playing space, and would not heed the cries of his mates to pass the ball.

Then came the winning goal. Captain Perks ran out to where Tomlin was dribbling the period away, grabbed the ball, whirled, and shot—and the ball found its way to the resting place of victory.

Holt Takes Early Lead.

The Maysville-Holt game started off with Holt taking a lead which advanced the score to 13-7 at the end of the first quarter. At the half Holt still led, 18 to 14. But the third quarter found Maysville a new team, and the lead was shortened and then overcome, so that at the end of three-fourths of the game Maysville led, 26 to 22. The final score was 36 to 30.

Pickering eliminated Holt in the Class B finals Saturday afternoon by doubling the score, 22 to 11. The first half was a close one, with Pickering leading, 11 to 9, at its end. But the Nodaway County team spurted in the second half, and Holt could not catch up.

Carrollton and Pickering will represent Northwest Missouri at the state tournament sponsored by the University of Missouri at Columbia this week end. The College will pay half of the expenses of each team, and will send H. Frank Lawrence, director of athletics, along with the district representatives. In case either Carrollton or Pickering cannot go to Columbia, Maysville will be the alternate.

The box scores of Saturday night and Saturday afternoon:

CARROLLTON-PICKERING

Pickering (10)	fg	ft	f	Carr'llton (12)	fg	ft	f
Lett, f	1	1	2	Wallace, f	0	0	4
McGinness, f	0	1	1	Hartzell, f	0	1	2
McKee, c	1	1	3	Erwin, f	0	2	0
Garten, g	0	3	3	Perks, c	3	3	1
Morris, g	0	0	0	Tomlin, g	0	0	2
				Hynson, g	0	0	0
	2	6	9		3	6	9

HOLT-MAYSVILLE

Holt (30)	fg	ft	f	Maysv'l (36)	fg	ft	f
Settles, f	4	0	1	H. Ash'y, f	8	3	1
Walker, f	5	3	0	W. Ash'y, f	5	0	4
Todd, c	2	1	0	Redman, f	0	0	0
Hamilton, g	1	0	1	K. D'nhm, c	1	0	4
oLng, g	1	0	1	Sheward, c	0	0	0
Fitzgerald, g	0	0	0	R. D'nhm, g	1	0	0
				M H'ukns, g	1	1	1
	13	4	3		16	4	10

PICKERING-HOLT

Pickering (22)	fg	ft	f	Holt) (11)	fg	ft	f
Lett, f	1	1	1	Settle, f	0	2	4
McGinness, f	3	0	0	Walker, f	2	0	2
McKee, c	3	3	4	Todd, c	2	1	2
Garten, g	1	0	2	Ham'lton, g	0	0	0
Swaney, g	0	0	0	Long, g	0	0	1
Morris, g	0	2	0	Fitzg'd, g	0	0	0
	8	6	7		4	3	9

Suit on Note Filed by Fred D. Bellows

Fred D. Bellows has filed suit against Mr. and Mrs. James C. Stuart of Stanberry, asking $929.75 on a note alleged to be due.

Mr. Bellows in his petition, filed Saturday with the circuit clerk for hearing at the April term of court, claimed that the note, which was originally for $1,400, was made out to the Farmers Trust Co. of Maryville and assigned to him before becoming due.

He stated that $470.75 had been paid.

ALBANY TITLE TO RAVENWOOD

GIRLS WIN NORTHWEST MISSOURI CHAMPIONSHIP.

LAST GAME THRILLER

Nodaway County Champs Defeat Savannah, 34-30, in Contest Requiring Extra 3-Minute Period.

While one Nodaway county team was winning the Class B championship of the Northwest Missouri basketball tournament here, another was winning honors at the girls' basketball tournament at Albany and today is undisputed champion of the district.

It is Ravenwood's girls' sextet which shares with the Pickering boys the basketball pedestal of Northwest Missouri. The county girls champions, in winning the Albany tournament, won their seventh tournament and completed a season's record of thirty victories and only four defeats. The last eighteen victories have been consecutive.

The Ravenwood sextet won a hair-raising final game at Albany from Savannah, after a three-minute play-off. The score at the end of the regular time was tied, 30-30. It ended, finally, 34-30, in favor of the Nodaway countians.

In the earlier games, Ravenwood had defeated Bethany, 34-26, and Grant City, 29-11. Grant City had previously eliminated Princeton.

Albany had beaten Easton and Savannah had eliminated King City, after which the Andrew countians defeated Albany 33-28. This brought two well-matched teams together in the final game.

The clash was marked by close rulings by Referee Watson of St. Joseph. Three Ravenwood players went out on personal fouls, and four of Savannah's first team were compelled to withdraw for the same reason.

Ravenwood took an early lead, but lost it when Conn, star forward, went out on fouls early in the second quarter. The half ended 16-16.

In the third quarter, Savannah forged ahead, and, with only three minutes and forty-five seconds left to play, led by seven points. The Nodaway countians began a scoring spree which tied the score before the timer's gun.

In the play-off, Ravenwood scored four points on Comer's free throw, field goal and one-point goal from the field. Savannah was unable to score.

Conn, Hunterson and Goodson were the Ravenwood players to go out on fouls. Savannah lost both centers and both guards.

The box score follows:

Ravenwood (34)	FG	FT	F
Comer, rf	2	5	0
Conn, lf	2	1	3
Hunterson, f, jc and g	2	0	3
Bishop, f	1	0	1
Goodson, jc	0	0	3
Wygal, rc	0	0	1
Kessler, g	0	0	1
Leary, g and f	0	0	2
Bogue, g	0	0	1
	14	6	15
Savannah (30)	FG	FT	F
Turner, rf	2	3	0
Kelley, rf	0	0	0
Shoemaker, lf	3	1	0
Brownlee, jc	0	0	3
Rowe, jc	0	0	1
E. Bowman, rc	0	0	3
L. Bowman, rc	0	0	0
Hinze, rg	0	0	3
Krite, rg	0	0	0
Herndon, lg	0	0	3
Turner	0	0	6
	12	6	13

The only defeats met by the Ravenwood girls during the season were at the hands of Grant City, Elmo and indoor and outdoor games at Barnard. The champions in turn defeated each of these teams, Elmo four times, Grant City three times and Barnard twice.

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Head Lettuce, 2 for	25c
Carrots, per bunch	5c
Grape Fruit, each	10c
Jonathan Apples, peck	70c
Black Twig Apples, peck	65c

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BOLOGNA, pound	18c
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